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PETAIN QUITS, LONDON HEARS

F. D. R. AND BRITISH CHIEF OPEN ALLIED WAR COUNCIL

Plan Unified Effort for Victory Over Axis Enemies.

BY ARTHUR SEARS HENNING.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]
(Picture on back page.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—Spurred to emergency action by Japanese air superiority in the Pacific and the threat of a German thrust to the South Atlantic, President Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill today began mapping an allied program for eventual defeat of Germany, Italy, and Japan.

The objective to which the chiefs of state of the English speaking nations addressed themselves is the formation of an interallied organization which will effect the maximum production of the implements of war and the distribution of the combined resources of material and man power in such a manner as to win the war in the shortest possible time.

Matters Under Consideration.

Among the matters under consideration are the following:

1. The conclusion of a hard and fast Anglo-American alliance, eventually to include Russia, China, and the Netherlands, the members of which would be pledged to make no separate peace with any of the axis powers.
2. The strategy to be adopted by the allies in conducting the war in the European, African, near east, Atlantic, and Pacific theaters of hostilities.
3. The organization of a unified command in such area in which the forces of two or more allies are operating.
4. The formation of a supreme war council or other joint agency, one of the chief functions of which would be the allocation of material and manpower to various theaters of war in accord with the strategy adopted.
5. The speeding up of ship and arms production by all the allies, particularly by the United States, which is being relied upon for the material and manpower essential to victory.

Other Nations Included.

Mr. Roosevelt said at the close of the day that the conferences are proceeding satisfactorily. He emphasized that these Anglo-American discussions are purely preliminary and that no other nation would be excluded from the general objective of eliminating Hitlerism from the world.

The British and American conferees, he said, are working out a plan of complete unity of action in the southwest Pacific. Australia and New Zealand, which are in this danger zone, and also Canada have a stake in these plans. W. L. Mackenzie King, Canadian prime minister, is expected here in a few days to join the discussions.

Russia, China, the Netherlands, the Latin-American republics that have declared war and those who are active nonbelligerents also will be brought on the inside of what the conferees are doing, the President said.

Talk Until Early Morning.

Mr. Churchill, who is the guest of the President and Mrs. Roosevelt at the White House, sat up till 1 o'clock this morning discussing the war with Mr. Roosevelt.

At 5 p. m. the President and the prime minister, each accompanied by his staff of consultants, met for the first formal conference. Stephen T. Early, Presidential secretary, in announcing this conference, said that it might be called the United States-British "war council."

Assisting the President in this discussion were Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson, Secretary of the Navy Frank Knox, Gen. George C. Marshall, army chief of staff; Maj. Gen. H. H. Arnold, deputy chief of staff for air; Adm. Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations; Adm. Ernest King, commander in chief of the United States

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CHURCHILL SAYS ONLY KNOCKOUT WILL BEAT FOES

BY WALTER TROHAN
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—Hitlerism will not be defeated by internal collapse, but will go down to an external knockout blow delivered by the United States, Great Britain, and their allies.

This message war given the American people today by Prime Minister Winston Churchill at a joint press conference with President Roosevelt in which the leaders of the two great nations told how victory will be achieved.

The chunky, dynamic British leader took to the President's semi-weekly press conference as a duck takes to water. Mr. Roosevelt had attempted to guard his distinguished visitor from a barrage of questioning, but Churchill wanted no favors.

Master of Technique.

He was determined he would meet the press on its own ground and its own terms. In the give and take he showed in 15 minutes he was a master of the technique Mr. Roosevelt has developed over almost nine years of conferences.

Mr. Churchill turned aside some questions with a laugh, answered others in notes of sincerity which carried conviction and answered still others almost casually. He enjoyed himself thoroly during the conference.

The Britisher was grim about the situation in the far east, at Singapore in particular, had no doubt about ultimate victory, asserted that no one man—not even Napoleon—could direct the gigantic task of defeating the axis powers on fronts around the world, and spoke of the necessity for increasing American production of war supplies.

Introduced by President.

Mr. Churchill was introduced to the press conference by the President, who cautioned the visitor that he was meeting the wolves of the American press, as compared with the lambs of the British press. Churchill was then urged to stand up so that he could be seen.

Without hesitation the prime minister mounted the chair in which he had been sitting beside the President. He was greeted with a round of applause. He responded with a nod and a beaming smile, almost as broad as the famous Roosevelt an smile.

Before questions were hurled at the prime minister, Mr. Roosevelt explained that the usual White House press conference rules would be observed—that there could be no direct quotation, that some matter might be designated for use without attribution to the speaker and other matter might be held strictly off the record. Churchill used neither of the last two categories.

Mr. Roosevelt explained that the

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THE WEATHER

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1941.

Sunrise, 7:16. Sunset, 4:24. Moon sets at 12:36 a. m. Venus is evening star. Mars, Saturn, and Jupiter are night luminaries.

CHICAGO AND VICINITY: Cloudy, occasional light rain or drizzle in forenoon and cloudy, to partly cloudy in afternoon Wednesday; colder, temperature about 36 degrees in morning, rising little during day; wind 15-25 miles per hour.

ILLINOIS: Cloudy, occasional light rain or drizzle in forenoon, becoming partly cloudy in afternoon Wednesday; colder, temperatures 30-36 degrees in morning, changing little during day; wind 15-25 miles per hour, slowly diminishing.

TEMPERATURES IN CHICAGO.

3 a.m.	53	9 a.m.	51	3 p.m.	58
4 a.m.	53	10 a.m.	53	4 p.m.	57
5 a.m.	149	11 a.m.	53	5 p.m.	55
6 a.m.	50	Noon	55	6 p.m.	53
7 a.m.	52	1 p.m.	57	7 p.m.	56
8 a.m.	52	2 p.m.	58	8 p.m.	55

9 p.m.	54	10 p.m.	54
10 p.m.	54	11 p.m.	53
11 p.m.	53	Midn't.	53
1 a.m.	52	2 a.m.	51

*Highest. †Lowest. ‡Unofficial. 7 p.m.-2 a.m.

For 24 hours ended 6:30 p. m., Dec. 23: Mean temperature, 55 degrees; normal, 27 degrees; December excess, 163 degrees; excess since Jan. 1, 969 degrees.

Precipitation, .52 of an inch; precipitation since Jan. 1, 34.94 inches; December deficiency, 1.81 inches; excess since Jan. 1, 9.81 inches.

HIS CONVOY

F. D. R. Names Czar of All U.S. Transportation

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 [Special].—President Roosevelt today established an Office of Defense Transportation "to assure maximum utilization of the transportation facilities of the nation for the successful prosecution of the war." He named Joseph B. Eastman, interstate commerce commission chairman, as its director.

Joseph B. Eastman.

The executive order setting up the agency stated that its chief function will be to coördinate railroad, motor, inland waterway, pipe line and air transport, and coastwise and intercoastal shipping. It will be a part of the executive office of the President.

The order was taken to mean abolition of the post of director of transportation of the now superseded National Defense Advisory council, which post has been held by Ralph Budd, on leave from the presidency of the Burlington railroad.

Functions Set Forth.

The order stated that one of its purposes was "to define further the functions and duties of the Office of Emergency Management" under which Budd has been functioning. The President set up the duties of the new agency as follows:

To coördinate the transportation policies and activities of federal agencies and private transportation groups to effect such adjustments as successful prosecution of the war may require.

To compile and analyze estimates of the requirements the war effort may impose on domestic transportation facilities, determine the adequacy of these facilities for the expected needs due to the war, seek their maximum use, and stimulate the provision of necessary additions, advising the SPAB of priorities needed.

To coördinate and direct traffic movements with the object of preventing congestion and assuring orderly and expeditious movement of men, materials and supplies.

In coöperation with the United States maritime commission and other appropriate agencies to coördinate domestic traffic movements with ocean shipping in order to prevent port area congestion and maintain a maximum traffic flow.

To survey and ascertain present and anticipated storage and warehousing requirements at transfer and terminal points and encourage the provision of increased facilities where necessary.

To represent the defense interests of the government in negotiating rates with domestic carriers and advise the appropriate government agencies with respect to the necessity of rate adjustments which may be asked because of the burdens of the defense program.

To advise upon proposed or existing emergency legislation affecting domestic transportation.

In exercising its functions and authority with respect to transportation priorities and preferences, the order said, the agency shall be governed as to relative importance of deliveries required for defense by "instructions, certifications, and directives" issued by OPM and shall "take all lawful steps within the scope of its authority to effect such deliveries thru appropriate public or private agencies."

Corky Kelly Getting Gifts from All Over the Country

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—Sons and daughters of Uncle Sam all over the nation are playing Santa to Corky Kelly. Presents have been pouring in for the 18 month old boy whose flyer father, Capt. Colin P. Kelly Jr., died a hero's death in sinking a Japanese battleship.

TWO PAGES OF PICTURES

The Tribune today publishes two full pages of pictures. On the back page is a page of war pictures and maps, including a large scale sketch of Singapore. On page 8 is a full page of photographs of yesterday's distribution of Christmas baskets by the Good Fellows to poor families of the city.

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'Adopt a Yank' Swamps 33d with Presents

Camp Forrest, Tenn., Dec. 23 [Special].—The 33d [Illinois] division was "overwhelmed"—in the physical as well as the emotional sense—today as every mail added to the flood of Christmas gifts from subscribers to THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE'S "Adopt a Yank for Christmas" campaign.

Maj. Gen. Samuel T. Lawton, commander, had to send 20 men from the division to help the camp postoffice handle the mail. By mail and express the packages poured in, big mail bags being piled high in the camp postoffice.

Two freight car loads of packages swamped the express office in nearby Tullahoma. Army trucks from each of the eight regiments now in camp were sent to town to help haul the packages back to camp.

Believe "Worse" to Come.

"We expect the same congestion—or more—tomorrow," Gen. Lawton said. "We literally are overwhelmed by the generosity of our friends."

The soldiers received the idea and the gifts with great enthusiasm. All those "adopted" said they planned to express their thanks to the givers. They were agreed that "it makes us feel more like doing our part."

Corp. Robert Clayton of Chicago, beaming over his packages of candy and cigarets, observed:

"It doesn't make any difference whether the gift is big or little, it's the thought behind it that counts. Some of the fellows here wouldn't have had any gifts on Christmas if it weren't for this."

Some of Gifts Listed.

Among the many who received presents were:

Private Allen Friedman, Chicago, who was given an assorted package containing playing cards, initialed handkerchiefs, a pen and pencil set, cigarets, razor blades and shaving cream, stationery, and a small American flag.

Sergt. Martin Novy, Riverside, Ill., who was the recipient of a bed lamp, an automatic pencil, and a box containing cookies, fruit, and candy.

Corp. Wayne Stevens, Sergt. Michael A. Belphedio, and Sergt. Donald Brown, all of Chicago, who received a $5 bill each.

ENGAGE FRESH INVADER FORCE FROM 40 SHIPS

New Action 75 Miles from Capital.

(Maps on page 7.)

MANILA, Dec. 24 [Wednesday] (AP).—Official army reports today said that greatly outnumbered American and Filipino troops were battling valiantly against a Japanese invasion force which landed from 40 transports during the night at Atimonan, 75 miles southeast of Manila.

Observers here interpreted the Atimonan thrust as an attempt to force Gen. Douglas MacArthur to split his forces and thus weaken resistance on the vital northern front, where his men were reported standing off another invading army "against great odds."

Before landing at Atimonan, which is on the Luzon east coast, the Japanese attempted a landing on the southwest coast of the island near Batangas, but were beaten off.

Sixth Attempted Landing.

The landing at Atimonan is the sixth attempted by the Japanese on the Island of Luzon since the war began Dec. 7. Places at which they have established beach heads include Legaspi, on the southeasternmost tip of Luzon 250 miles from Manila; Vigan, on the west coast 210 miles north of the capital, and Aparri, on the extreme north coast.

Atimonan, situated on Lopez bay on the narrow neck of land connecting the main portion of Luzon with the southern bulge, is a town of about 13,000 known chiefly as a fishing center.

Tho it is only 75 miles airline from Manila, an invading army would have to travel approximately 150 miles to reach the capital, skirting around a large inland lake—Laguna de Bay.

The lone highway from Atimonan to Manila winds thru rugged mountains stretching across the isthmus northwest of the town. A railway leading to Manila, which passes within a dozen miles of Atimonan, follows a similar circuitous route thru extremely rugged country which lends itself well to defense.

Regarded as Invasion Point.

While there are no known military objectives in the vicinity of Atimonan, the place was regarded in prewar strategy as a possible invasion point and therefore precautions against an overland push to Manila probably have been taken.

The morning communique was silent concerning the situation at Davao on Mindanao Island, south of Luzon, where the Japanese also have landed in force.

Press reports quoted refugees from Mindanao, however, as saying that seven Japanese troopships had been sunk in Davao harbor and that the defense forces were giving a good account of themselves in land fighting.

[An official announcement from Batavia, Netherlands East Indies, said yesterday that Dutch naval bombers had fired a 10,000 ton tanker at Davao.]

Hammer Northern Defenders.

On the northern front, Japanese who began landing on the Lingayen gulf Sunday from a fleet of 80 transports were reported hammering persistently at American and Filipino troops who, according to last reports,

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BOBBY'S PEEK INTO THE CHRISTMAS GIFT CLOSET COSTS HIS LIFE

OTTAWA, Ont., Dec. 23 (AP).—Bobby Fisher couldn't wait for Christmas. He had caught furtive glimpses of a closet packed with gifts, so today he went exploring.

The closet door swung shut behind him, but 6 year old Bobby had brought matches. The flare of the first match lit up the beautiful tinsel and tissue of the Christmas gifts.

Bobby died in the fire. In an adjoining closet, unseen and undamaged, lay Bobby's own presents—a hockey stick, toy soldiers, tanks and a truck.

4 JAP SHIPS SUNK BY DUTCH; OTHER WAR NEWS OF DAY

The Japanese yesterday sustained a setback at sea off the coast of Borneo when a Netherlands submarine sank three big transports and a tanker.

Ten Japanese warplanes were reported to have been shot down by the RAF in an air battle over Rangoon, Burma. The Japanese announced a mass air raid on Rangoon, and said a number of British planes were destroyed.

"Our planes returned unscathed," said a Tokio announcement.

Hongkong Repels Japs.

A courageous force of British, Canadian, and Indian troops threw back the Japanese invaders of Hongkong at a hill in the center of the island.

Tho outnumbered, the Hongkong garrison was inflicting heavy losses upon the Japanese. The British, too, were losing many men in the battle which has been raging for four days. The Canadian commander at Hongkong and his senior officer were believed to have been killed.

Tho Chinese guerrillas were attacking the Japanese at points from 14 to 20 miles from the besieged Hongkong garrison, the British said only a major offensive would relieve the trapped troops.

No Change in Malaya.

The British command in Singapore said the military situation in Japanese invaded northern Malaya was unchanged. The Japanese still were reported to be 330 miles north of Singapore.

The United States navy announced that the Japanese landed on Wake Island in the Pacific yesterday. A detachment of marines on this coral atoll had beaten back strong Japanese air and sea attacks since the enemy struck at America on Dec. 7.

In Russia the Red army continued to roll forward. It claimed the recapture of an important railway junction on the Moscow front.

Try to Close Trap on Axis.

In Africa the British were striving to knock out the axis army completely by closing a trap on the Germans and Italians. British tanks struck at the retreating enemy 300 miles inside Libya.

With the axis desperately trying to reënforce its troops in Africa, the British announced that submarines had destroyed six more axis transports or supply ships in the Mediterranean.

[Details of war situation appear on pages 6, 7, 9, and 11.]

Report Hitler Sees Doctor Over Trouble with Eyes

LONDON, Dec. 23 (AP).—The Moscow radio said today in a broadcast heard here that Adolf Hitler recently had consulted "the famous German doctor, Schuster," and was told he was suffering severe nervous exhaustion and inflammation of the eyes. Hitler's eyes have troubled him since he was gassed in the first World war.

Moscow to Have Christmas Mass for Foreign Colony

MOSCOW, Dec. 28 (AP). Christmas mass will be celebrated in Moscow by the Rev. Leopold Braun, formerly of Worcester, Mass., who remained here thruout the German siege. The mass is to be held in St. Louis des Francais church.

CLAIM GERMAN PUSH TO FRENCH AFRICA AT HAND

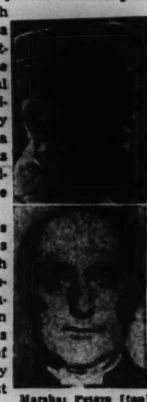
Nazi Troops Move to Spain's Border.

BULLETIN.

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—The Rome radio said tonight Marshal Petain will broadcast a speech at 9 p. m. tomorrow French time (3 p. m., Chicago time). The broadcast said Petain discussed Moroccan affairs at a cabinet meeting tonight.

(Map on page 6.)

LONDON, Dec. 24 [Wednesday].—(AP).—The long expected German push into French North Africa over the protesting but prostrate figure of Marshal Petain is imminent or already in progress, a variety of reports from the continent of Europe indicated today.



Marshal Petain [top] and Adm. Darlan.

A Reuter's [British news agency] dispatch from "somewhere in Europe" said Petain had resigned as France's chief of state in angry but futile protest against German pressure.

His pro-Nazi "heir," Adm. Jean Darlan, was reported to have taken over the rule of France.

Report Nazi Troops on Move.

Competent informants in Switzerland said even prior to this report that fresh German troops already were moving down to the Spanish border across the Atlantic coastal strip of occupied France.

Quantities of German military equipment have been piled up near the Spanish frontier ever since the fall of France, and the movement of troops was reported soon after Adolf Hitler kicked out his chief general and announced only last Sunday his assumption of personal command of the German army in the midst of the crisis in Russia.

Hitler at that time made reference to big actions. A German army spokesman in Berlin said Tuesday that "obviously axis plans could not be revealed."

[A dispatch from Turkey last night quoted a reliable source as saying that Germans in Istanbul have been told by a German embassy spokesman to "be ready toward the end of January to close up your businesses for a short time."]

Demand Petain Live Up to Pact.

However, all scraps of information indicated the likelihood of the Nazis trying to take what they wanted from French Africa.

The Reuter's dispatch said specifically that the Germans were demanding immediate effectiveness for the agreement Petain was said to have made at a meeting with Reichsmarshal Hermann Wilhelm Goering on Dec. 1.

It was reported at the time that Petain had agreed to let the Germans have all the bases they wanted in French Africa provided they could get to them without using the interned remnants of the French fleet.

Keep Eye on British Drive.

In the ensuing three weeks, Petain was reported to have used all sorts of excuses to avoid making good on this extorted promise, because the condition of public opinion in French Africa was not ripe for such a step, and because he wanted keenly to see how the British made out in their drive against axis forces in Libya.

After considerable delay, that British drive today looked more and more like a total victory, with the Germans facing death or surrender to the last man unless they could flee into French Tunisia from Italian Tripolitania.

Hence the urgency of the German demands for entry into French Africa.

ALL OF CHICAGO WILL HEAR CAROL SINGERS TONIGHT

Many Churches to Have Midnight Services.

BY THE REV. JOHN EVANS.

Carols of peace to men of good will will ring out in every section of the city tonight. A survey of Protestant churches within the city disclosed plans which will virtually blanket each neighborhood with the ageless songs of the birth of Christ the King.

The Catholics of the city will rejoice especially tonight because of the removal of the long standing ban against the public midnight celebration of the Christ-Mass from which Christmas derived its English name. Archbishop Samuel A. Stritch, who removed the ban, will be the celebrant at the midnight service in Holy Name cathedral.

Prayers for True Peace.

The archbishop, in a letter to the clergy announcing restoration of the historic service, referred to the tragedy of world war and said "we should hasten by our prayers the coming of true peace among men."

Notices from many Catholic parish churches announce that the archbishop's suggestion calling for the devotional singing of Christmas hymns for a short while just prior to the restored midnight mass will be carried out.

Midnight eucharists will be sung in virtually all Episcopal churches of the city. One exception will be St. James' church, Wabash avenue and Huron street, where a carol and candlelight service will be held at 5 o'clock this evening. At St. James' and in most Episcopal churches holy communion will be celebrated Christmas morning at 8 and 11 o'clock.

Carillon to Be Heard.

The 43 bell carillon of St. Chrysostom's church, 1414 North Dearborn parkway, will peal its Christmas carols over the near north side tonight prior to the 11:30 carols which will precede the midnight communion. Bishop Wallace E. Conkling will be the Christmas preacher tomorrow morning at the cathedral shelter, Washington boulevard and Peoria street.

Announcements from scores of Lutheran churches speak of neighborhood carols tonight and early services tomorrow morning. In Lutheran churches of Scandinavian origin the traditional Christmas dawn service of julatta will be held.

Choirs and youth groups of nearly 100 Protestant churches have made special announcements of neighborhood carol singing. Probably the Moody Memorial church, Clark street and North avenue, will have the largest number of caroling groups. Dr. H. A. Ironside, pastor of the church, said that the entire area north and northwest of the city will be traversed by singing groups.

NORTH, NORTHWEST SIDE

North and northwest side churches which will have neighborhood carols are:

Rogers Park Baptist, 1900 Greenleaf-av.
Bethesda Lutheran, Campbell and Farwell-avs.
St. Mary's Lutheran, 6045 North Rockwell.
Edgewater Baptist, 1401 Hollywood-av.
Our Saviour Lutheran, Northcott and Circle.
Unity Luthern, Belmoral and Magnolia-avs.
Jefferson Park Bible church, Milwaukee and Foster-avs.
Holy Apostles' Episcopal, Leland and Drake.
St. John's Lutheran, 5235 Argyle-st.
Mayfair Lutheran, Lawrence and Lowell.
Forest Glen Congregational, 5048 Catalpa.
Christ Lutheran, Wilson and Spaulding-avs.
Immanuel Slovak Baptist, 5859 Giddings-st.
St. John's Lutheran, Montrose and Laverzne.
Norwood Park Baptist, Newark and Navarre-avs.
Bethany Evangelical and Reformed, Paulina-st. and Cullom-av.
Gethsemane Evangelical and Reformed, Pau-Nebo Lutheran, Menard-av. and Dakin-st.
Portage Park Baptist, 4830 Dakin-st.
St. John's Episcopal, Byron and Kostner-avs.
Irving Park Luthern, Harding and Belle Plaine-avs.
North Side Church of the Nazarene, 3848 Greenview-av.
Mt. Olive Lutheran, Tripp-av. and Byron-st.
Bethany Lutheran, 4125 Newport-av.
St. Luke's Evangelical Lutheran, 1500 Belmont-av.
First Gethsemane Lutheran, Oakdale and Lamon-avs.
St. Peter's Evangelical and Reformed, George-st. and Lavergne-av.
St. Luke's Lutheran, Francisco and Schubert-avs.
Grace Evangelical, Wrightwood and Kimball-avs.
First Lutheran, 2410 North St. Louis-av.
Immanuel Lutheran, Maplewood and Shakespeare-avs.
Christ Lutheran, 2917 McLean-av.
St. James Lutheran, Fremont and Dickens.
Bloxo Lutheran, Central Park and Wabansia-avs.
Second Evangelical, Sedgwick and Wisconsin-sts.
Christ English Lutheran, Long-av. and Le Moyne-st.

CENTRAL AND WEST SIDE

In the area south of North avenue and north of Cermak road and west to the city limits, churches whose choirs or other groups will carol in neighborhoods include:

St. Peter's Lutheran, Spaulding and Lemoyne-avs.
Bethel Lutheran, Hirsch-st. and Springfield.
St. John's Reformed Episcopal, Laramie-st. and Potomac-av.
Judson Baptist, 1252 North Austin-blvd.
Trinity church, 1107 South Austin-blvd.
First German Baptist, 745 North Paulina-st.
Austin Congregational, 5460 Ohio-st.
St. Paul's Lutheran, Ohio-st. and Lawler-av.
Second Baptist, 1857 Jackson-blvd.
Central Church of God, 3011 Flournoy-st.
Ebenezer Lutheran, Harding-av. and 13th-st.
Immanuel Lutheran, Ashland-blvd. and Roosevelt-rd.
Bethlehem Community center and church, 1853 South Loomis street, and the Mennonite Home mission, 1907 South Union-av.

SOUTH, SOUTHWEST SIDES

From Cermak road south to 67th street and to the west city limits, the following churches are listed for neighborhood carol singing:

Raymond Baptist, 816 W. 31st-st.
St. Philippus church, 2040 W. 36th-st.
Fourth Congregational, 40th-st. and Drexel.
Mennonite Bible mission, 4221 S. Rockwell-st.
St. Martini Lutheran, 51st-st. and S. Marshfield-av.
Archer Avenue Reformed, 6131 Archer-av.
Hyde Park Baptist, 5600 Woodlawn-av.
Church of the Good Shepherd, 5700 Prairie-av.
Green St. Congregational, 5600 S. Green-st.
Grace Evangelical, 5954 S. Albany-av.
Nazareth Lutheran, 60th-st. and Spaulding-av.
Marquette Manor Baptist, 6001 S. California.
St. Elizabeth's Episcopal, 62d-st. and St. Louis-av.
Grace Lutheran, 6049 S. Marshfield-av.
Calvary Lutheran, 62d-st. and Kenneth-av.
Englewood Baptist, 415 Englewood-av.
Messiah Lutheran, 64th-st. and Wolcott-av.
Thomas Memorial Congregational, 64th-pl. and Homan-av.
People's Liberal church, 405 West 65th-st.
St. Paul's Lutheran, 7619 Dorchester-av.
St. Bartholomew's Episcopal, 6720 Stewart.
Ebenezer Lutheran, 1101 W. 71st-st.
Augsburg English Lutheran, 75d-st. and Wabash-av.
Essex Community church, 7400 Blackstone.
Windsor Park Lutheran, 9619 E. 76th-st.
Annunciation Episcopal, 7816 Lowe-av.
St. Timothy Lutheran, 8748 S. Paulina-st.
Messiah Episcopal, 83d-st. and Dante-av.
Immanuel Lutheran, 9035 Houston-av.
Brainerd Community church, 88th and Throop-sts.
Bethesda Lutheran, 105th-st. and Avenue J.
Emmanuel Reformed, 10233 State-st.
Morgan Park Baptist, 110th-st. and Oakley.
Peoples Lutheran, 110th and State-sts.
Bethany Evangelical and Reformed, 114th and State-sts.

The Rev. Dr. Iver M. Johnson, minister of First Methodist church, Chicago temple, 77 West Washington street, announced tomorrow's Christmas service at 11 o'clock. His subject will be "Believing in Christmas."

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U. S. TO TAKE OVER ALL JOB SERVICE EMPLOYES OF 3 CENTRAL STATES

All employés in the state job employment or placement bureaus of Illinois, Indiana, and Wisconsin will be taken over by the government as federal civil service employés by Jan. 1 under plans discussed yesterday at a meeting of federal and state officials in the Congress hotel.

Those at the meeting were directors of the several state employment departments; H. L. McCarthy, regional director of the Social Security board, and Eugene J. Brock, chief of the federal employment service in the three states affected. In switching over, the employés must take the federal oath.

Federal scales of pay, classifications, and seniority rights will be accorded to the employés. It is believed that the new arrangements will better coordinate the need and supply of labor. Employés in state employment compensation offices are not affected.

PRESIDENT PLAYS SANTA TO 206 IN WHITE HOUSE

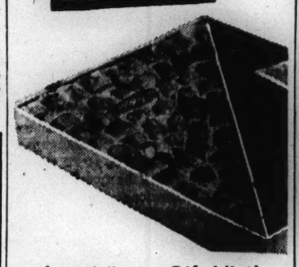
Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP). — President Roosevelt interrupted his talks with Winston Churchill, British premier, today long enough to play Santa Claus to 206 members of the White House office staff.

With Mrs. Roosevelt, he received secretaries, clerks, stenographers, and secret service employés in his oval office, shook hands, and presented each with an informal photograph of himself and his wife seated on the south porch of their home at Hyde Park, N. Y.

The photograph, 8 by 10 inches and autographed, "Eleanor Roosevelt" and "Franklin D. Roosevelt," was taken last July 4. It shows the chief executive in shirt sleeves and Mrs. Roosevelt sitting beside him knitting. "Christmas, 1941," appeared at the bottom of the picture, framed in a white folder.

Leyden Township Votes $145,000 Relief Bonds

Leyden township residents yesterday approved a $145,000 bond issue to pay relief bills by a vote of 949 to 669. The funds will be used to pay storekeepers of the community for merchandise supplied to reliefers.



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MANDEL BROTHERS

5 ROYAL EXILES IN ENGLAND FOR THIS CHRISTMAS

Dutch to Hear Broadcast by Queen Wilhelmina.

BY LARRY RUE.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Of five foreign monarchs exiled in England, only King George II. of Greece is staying in town over Christmas. The others are celebrating the holidays in their country homes.

King Haakon of Norway will attend the Christmas eve service at the Norwegian church at Rotherhithe in the afternoon, and then will spend some time with the Norwegian air force commanded by Adm. Hjalmar Riiser-Larsen, explorer. He also intends to make a personal call at the Norwegian seamen's hotel.

At Home on Thames.

King Haakon will spend Christmas day at home in the Thames valley. Altho he has a comparatively small house, it accommodates a personal staff of 20.

King Peter II. of Jugo-Slavia, now studying law at Cambridge university, will spend the holiday with his mother, Queen Marie, at her home in Cambridgeshire.

Queen Wilhelmina of the Netherlands also will spend Christmas in her country house in the Thames valley where Prince Bernhard, her son-in-law, also lives. She will broadcast a Christmas messsage to the people of Holland.

King Zog and Geraldine.

King Zog of Albania and Queen Geraldine will pass the holidays at Parmoor House, Henley, where they maintain a staff of 30 servants. The big event of the Albanian royal Christmas, it is said, will be the formal Christmas day presentation of a popgun to Zog's two and a half year old son, Alexander.

Like other toys, popguns are scarce in London this year. King Zog and Queen Geraldine, after unsuccessfully searching the west end, were said to have purchased it in a little shop in Camden Town.

11 CHILDREN GET REAL HOMES AT CHRISTMAS TIME

Eleven homeless or orphaned children yesterday received the finest Christmas presents any youngsters could desire when Judge Edmund K. Jarecki in County court granted 11 adoption petitions. Yesterday's rulings brought the total of adoption petitions granted this month to 114. Judge Jarecki said that December usually is the "top" month for adoptions, with prospective foster parents imbued with the Christmas spirit and apparently more eager to provide homes for unfortunate children.

Chief of Cuba's Army Air Force Hits Peak; Killed

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 23 (AP).—Commander Manuel Perez Alfonso, chief of the Cuban army air corps, and another army aviator were killed today when their planes crashed into a fog shrouded mountain top half a mile apart. Lieut. Efrain Hernandez, one of Cuba's ablest Kelly field trained aviators, flying with his chief, was seriously injured.

Lawton to Spend Christmas at Camp—and Join in Carols

Camp Forrest, Tenn., Dec. 23 (AP).—Maj. Gen. Samuel T. Lawton, commander of the 33d (Illinois) division, is going to eat Christmas dinner here with his headquarters company and be in camp during the entire holiday season, he said today. He will participate in celebrations for the troops "and even sing a carol or two myself Wednesday night," he said.

The Inquiring Camera Girl

BY FREIDA ZYLSTRA.

THE QUESTION.

What was the cleverest thing one of your pupils ever said? [Asked of school teachers.]

WHERE ASKED.

Hawthorne school, 3300 North Seminary avenue.

THE ANSWERS.

June Haslet, 5135 Cullom avenue—I was getting the rhythm and tune of a new song one morning by just playing it thru on the piano with one hand. A little first grade boy came up to me and said, "Gosh, Miss Haslet! Can you ever play that piano swell. Last year our teacher had to use both hands."

Mrs. Esther Ellingson, 2301 Rosemont avenue—One of my second grade boys was standing quietly looking at the flag swirled around the standard in the corner. When I asked him what he was looking at, he said, "I was just thinking—that's one peppermint stick I bet Hitler will never lick."

Mrs. A. J. Holmgren, 5438 Glenwood avenue—It was election time in the upper grade classes and the students were trying to outdo each other in campaign speeches. The girl who was running for secretary of her class was unusually tiny for her age—a fifth grader not much taller than a first grader. At the close of her clever speech she said, "And I want you all to remember—it's quality you want in this election, not quantity."

Grace Welzien, 1201 Waveland avenue—One of my little 5 year old primary boys was doing some fancy writing on the black board; scribbling in wavy lines all over the board. I said, "O, what lovely writing! What does it say?" He said, "I don't know, teacher. You see, this is my first day at school and I can't read yet."

Irene M. Grey, 2226 Greenwood street, Evanston—The members of my seventh grade class were asking each other questions on important inventions. One serious minded girl asked, "What invention enabled us to hear the dead speak?" No one could answer it. Then she said, "The phonograph and records. Once the speaker's voice is recorded we can still hear him, even tho he is dead."

Cordelia Parker Bauguess, 6036 Kenmore avenue—I was teaching the third graders "The Star Spangled Banner." We were analyzing the sentences and explaining the meaning to each other. I asked one boy what the form of punctuation was following O Say! He said, "That's a straightened out question mark."

[The Tribune will pay $5 for each interesting question submitted by a reader and used by The Tribune. Today's question was submitted by Mary Mears, 1620 Ridge avenue, Evanston.]

Quezon Calls Philippine Congress Special Session

MANILA, Dec. 24 [Wednesday] (AP). —President Quezon today called a special session of congress for Dec. 30 to consider special legislation.

MINONK WOMAN, 85, DIES.

Minonk, Ill., Dec. 23 [Special]. — Mrs. Frances Berta, 85 years old, died today in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Mary Ronerts, of March 3 1879.

RADIOS, ATLANTIC CABLE LINK U. S. WITH FAR EAST

Altho the only Pacific cable line connecting the United States with the far east has been cut, American telegraph companies are maintaining their connections with Asia by radio and thru the Atlantic cable.

Press Wireless, Radio Corporation of America, and Mackay are sending their far eastern messages in this manner. The Japanese cut the Pacific cable at Guam with a depth bomb shortly after their attack on Hawaii. Since then there has been no cable service west of Honolulu, except for the Honolulu-Midway island leg of the cable. The United States navy department announced Monday that the last cable message from Guam was sent on Dec. 10. Previously it had announced the probable capture of Guam on Dec. 13 and said it no longer was possible to communicate with the island by cable or radio. Another dispatch from Washington on Dec. 10 stated that "the only deep sea cable connecting the United States with its Pacific outposts and British Hongkong" had been cut by the Japanese, "probably at the repeater station on Midway. The cable's links were San Francisco, Honolulu, Midway, Guam, Manila, and Hongkong.

Messages to Manila now are sent across the Atlantic cable, relayed to Singapore, and thence to the Philippines. Thru this route and by radio connections are maintained with Honolulu, Batavia, and Chinese centers.

NURSES PROTEST SLASH IN STAFF AT SANITARIUM

Delegates of three nurses' groups met last night in the Berkshire hotel to protest staff curtailments at the Municipal Tuberculosis sanitarium in prospect because of a reduced 1942 budget.

Nurses from the tuberculosis hospital at Oak Forest, municipal sanitarium field nurses, and members of the Chicago Associate Nurses sent a telegram to Dr. Frederick Tice, president of the board of directors, asking a statement and declaring that "this is no time for political juggling of public health."

Dr. Leo M. Czaja, general superintendent of the sanitarium, said present plans call for dropping of 80 field nurses and eight dentists and closing of two clinics. He said that four requests for additional funds have been made at Washington and Springfield and that the cuts will not go into effect if aid is obtained.

BRITAIN DENIES IT IS MISUSING LEND-LEASE AID

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 [Special].—An official rebuttal of charges of British misuse of lend-lease materials was released by the British Supply council today in a mimeographed booklet an inch thick.

Time and again the booklet reiterates denial that Britain has used lend-lease articles to enable her to compete in commercial markets with this country. Carefully documented, the booklet answers scores of allegations and goes into minute detail, even down to the question of how much time the British Purchasing mission in Washington spends drinking tea.

Publication of the rebuttal at this time was regarded as reflecting British concern over continuance of adequate supplies, felt since Japan's attack on Hawaii opened a new war front.

LAURA INGALLS IS INDICTED AS GERMAN AGENT

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—A federal grand jury today indicted Laura Ingalls, 38 years old, of New York, one of the nation's best known women pilots on a charge of failing to register as a foreign agent.

The indictment charged she had been paid as a publicity agent by Baron Ulrich von Glenanth, second secretary of the German embassy.

Miss Ingalls was arrested last Wednesday. She was released from jail under $7,500 bond on Sunday, but will be required to appear in court and have new bond fixed under the indictment.

The indictment also charged, the justice department said, that she had "received various sums of money from the German government thru Baron von Glenanth for the purpose of influencing, persuading and molding American public opinion."

DIES IN I. C. STATION.

A woman about 45 years old, identified thru cards as Mrs. Daisy Foster of 7010 Stony Island avenue, died of a heart attack yesterday in a crowd in the Illinois Central railroad station at Randolph street.

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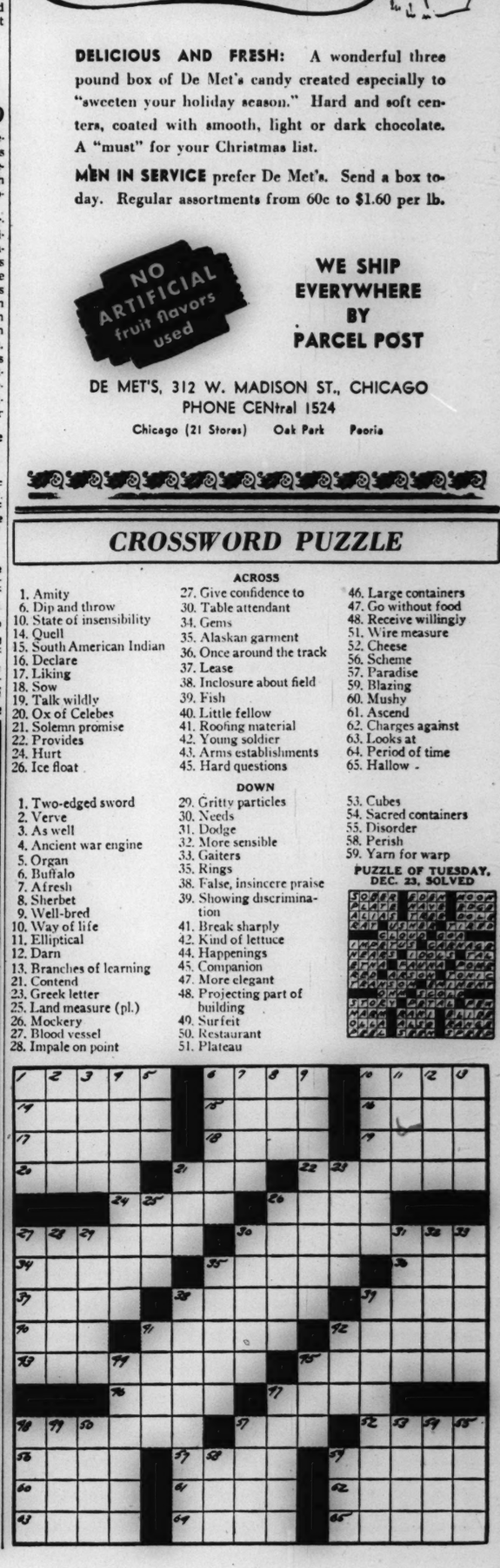
ACROSS

1. Amity
6. Dip and throw
10. State of insensibility
14. Quell
15. South American Indian
16. Declare
17. Liking
18. Sow
19. Talk wildly
20. Ox of Celebes
21. Solemn promise
22. Provides
24. Hurt
26. Ice float
27. Give confidence to
30. Table attendant
34. Gems
35. Alaskan garment
36. Once around the track
37. Lease
38. Inclosure about field
39. Fish
40. Little fellow
41. Roofing material
42. Young soldier
43. Arms establishments
45. Hard questions
46. Large containers
47. Go without food
48. Receive willingly
51. Wire measure
52. Cheese
56. Scheme
57. Paradise
59. Blazing
60. Mushy
61. Ascend
62. Charges against
63. Looks at
64. Period of time
65. Hallow

DOWN

1. Two-edged sword
2. Verve
3. As well
4. Ancient war engine
5. Organ
6. Buffalo
7. Afresh
8. Sherbet
9. Well-bred
10. Way of life
11. Elliptical
12. Darn
13. Branches of learning
21. Contend
23. Greek letter
25. Land measure (pl.)
26. Mockery
27. Blood vessel
28. Impale on point
29. Gritty particles
30. Needs
31. Dodge
32. More sensible
33. Gaiters
35. Rings
38. False, insincere praise
39. Showing discrimination
41. Break sharply
42. Kind of lettuce
44. Happenings
45. Companion
47. More elegant
48. Projecting part of building
49. Surfeit
50. Restaurant
51. Plateau
53. Cubes
54. Sacred containers
55. Disorder
58. Perish
59. Yarn for warp

PUZZLE OF TUESDAY, DEC. 23, SOLVED



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GOOD FELLOWS CARRY JOY INTO HOMES OF POOR

Make It Real Christmas for 12,500 Children.

BY MARCIA WINN.

(Pictures on back page.)

All thru Chicagoland the Good Fellows hurried yesterday in their annual diffusion of the spirit of Christmas.

From dawn to dark, laden with tangible bounty, the Good Fellow army of 2,500 roamed on its 33d annual Christmas mission, bringing plenty into homes that were barren, bringing joy into hearts that were bleak.

Before night had fallen, this great group manifestation of the spirit that is the true Christmas, sponsored since 1909 by THE TRIBUNE, had brought happiness to 12,500 children to whom Christmas otherwise would have been but an evanescent dream of childhood.

Not Forgotten Amidst Plenty.

To their parents it brought the glowing relief aroused only by realization that children of the poor are not forgotten in the land of plenty. To the Good Fellow himself it brought a new world of joy—the joy of giving.

Fewer than half the Good Fellows delivered baskets in person, for 5,209 persons contributed in some way or another toward filling the heaping baskets and boxes that went into 2,500 homes. Some sang Christmas carols to raise money. Some gave plays. One group held a table tennis tournament. And hundreds gave what they could—a dime, a dollar, a loaf of bread.

Rotary Club Helps.

The Rotary club alone took care of 287 families, employés of Chicago airport of 200 more, Morris B. Sachs of 50. And on and on, some of the groups, as the Aviation Good Fellows, even meeting for a program of carols and entertainment before beginning its trek of good cheer. Today the Traffic club of Chicago will take care of 400 more.

The Good Fellows who went into Chicago's dismal basements and empty, dark flats found in person what it is like to rekindle the stars that gleam in the eyes of a child. They found in the breathless first minute of entry what Scrooge found in Dickens' "A Christmas Carol," but for the hundreds of others—who might like to know—a few vignettes from the Christmas scene here are given:

Let's start on Chicago's near north side in a squalid flat four flights up. A Greek family lives here. Once, eight years ago, the father had a small restaurant. Two urchins, recruited from the sidewalk to help carry the heavy basket up the dark stairs, vouchsafe this. "Gee!" they exclaim. "Are you goin' to Mike's? Listen," as softly liquid notes of song drop down the stairwell. "That's his mother. She sings all the time."

Eyes Fill with Tears.

The song ends abruptly as the Good Fellows call merrily at the door. The woman who opens it is young, darkly beautiful. She and a chair full of washing are the only objects in the room. It is completely bare. The next room has a carpet, a broken down plush couch, a 1918 gramophone, a radio, a homemade doll bed, and a cluster of broken children's toys, but clean lace curtains cover the windows.

Her eyes filled with sudden tears, she calls out in a voluble torrent of Greek, and hesitant at first, but soon tense with excitement, in comes her brood. Mike, who is 12, small and erect with proud black yes. Maria, who is 6, small ivory face framed in long sooty hair. Angela, who is 9, the same seraphic face, the same hair, but melting eyes that seem to walk alone.

All are on the floor beside the basket. Mike is ecstatic with a wooden shipbuilding set. "O," he sighs, "just what I wanted. All day yesterday I made the Queen Mary; but she broke."

O, My! O, My! O, My!

He shoots away to return with a tiny, wobbly model he carved from soft pine. Maria fumbles feverishly with a box addressed to her. "Angela!" she screams to her sister in wondering disbelief. "A doll! For the bed!" But Angela is unheeding. She is counting the colors in a box of paints. "Twenty-three, twenty-four!" she cries. "O, my!"

Papa, who is gray and fat and has hurried into a necktie for the occasion, wipes his eyes on his shirtsleeves.

"Well," he says gruffly, "who would have thought it could happen?"

SEVEN FACES LIGHT UP

BY RITA FITZPATRICK.

Seven noses pushed against a window pane. Seven pairs of eyes wide with wonderment. Seven young faces alive with suprise.

This is what one Good Fellow saw yesterday as he trudged up a rickety flight of stairs in a tenement on 14th street, laden with a heavy box of food and a large basket full of toys.

No sooner had he opened the door than the children of the J—— family swarmed around him. They tugged at his trousers, pulled on his sleeves and in general nearly upset his burden. There were cries of "Lemme see," "Whatcha got there?", "Who's it for?" and one quiet comment, "Are you sure you have the right address, sir?" from a pale, tall girl.

They Wait for Presents.

Assured that the gifts were for them, the J's clustered around the basket, which was placed on the worn carpet, and waited politely for the Good Fellow to distribute the toys.

"Who are you, mister?" one of the twins piped up as she peered over the brim of the basket and touched a big rag doll with a shy finger that couldn't wait.

"I'm Santa Claus' helper," Mr. Good Fellow replied.

"You are not. Santa Claus' helpers are supposed to be little guys," one of the boys retorted. "You're too big."

"Where do you think I got all these toys, then?"

"Gee, I don't know." The youngster hesitated and then picked up a streamlined battleship. He rolled it toward his sister. "Boom, boom," he shouted happily. After a moment he looked up quizzically. "Hey, did you really get these things from Santa Claus?"

"That's right," was the answer.

"See, I told you that chimney gag was the bunk," he told his sister loftily. "Look, he came in the door just like anybody else."

OTHERS WORSE OFF

BY MAURINE MEYERS.

"There are people lots worse off than we are," said the head of a family of five youngsters as he was handed a Good Fellow basket of food and toys. "We're only poor people, but we're glad we live in this U. S. A., instead of the old country," he said. Unable to work most of the year because of illness, this man, who lives on De Kalb street, wants to return to farming in his native Texas, where he said he could rear his little family "like they ought to be."

The parents were visibly appreciative of the Good Fellow basket, but their joy was all for their children. Caroline, 4 years old, was wide eyed over the first doll she had ever owned, and Ellen, 6, also was enraptured by a doll which kept repeating "Mama!" Serious young Sam, 10, was wild with excitement when he discovered that his toy battleship really shot sparks, and that by using the wrong end of his new spyglass he could make the boat seem a "long ways away."

HEARTFELT GRATITUDE

BY DOROTHY PESCHEL.

No donor of a Christmas gift ever received more heartfelt gratitude than The Tribune Good Fellows as they arrived with a basket filled with goodies and toys for a family on South Halsted street. Seven little children with large brown sparkling eyes shouted with delight as the Good Fellows climbed the three flights of stairs to their small flat.

The two youngest children, girls 3 and 4 years old, clasped the panda doll and little white dog in their arms while the rest of the children hovered around the basket awaiting their turns to receive gifts chosen especially for them by the Good Fellows.

The little mother said the Good Fellows had made it one of the happiest moments in her life, for now she knew the children would have a merry Christmas.

A REAL CHRISTMAS

BY ARTHUR MIDDLETON.

Stanley, 15 years old and the oldest son of the family, had worked at odd jobs in the neighborhood to earn the 50 cents for a Christmas tree. But his three younger brothers and four sisters weren't looking forward to finding anything under it Christmas morning. They were wrong, however. The Good Fellows saw to that. There were never wider smiles nor larger eyes than those that adorned the faces of the children when the Good Fellows entered the bare two room flat on South Sawyer avenue carrying a basket of toys and food.

John and Carol reached for two fuzzy white toy dogs. Matthew, 6, and Robert, 8, were thrilled with their airplane and toy boats. Mary, 10, and Ruth, 12, were each soon drawing with their crayon sets, and Jane, 3, squealed with delight as she dragged an elephant on wheels behind her.

UNEXPECTED GIFTS

BY ANTON REMENIH.

Santa Claus planned no stop this year at an address near Maxwell street. It was written all over the pinched faces of Sam's five children when a Good Fellow, loaded with toys and food, walked thru the door. Sam hasn't had a job for many months. His wife, Mary, is ill.

It took a full five minutes for Sam's children, Salvadore, 16, Dionisio, 11, Carmen, 5, Consuelo, 3, and Richard, 2, to realize that the gifts were really for them.

Their eyes began to light up. They began playing with the toys and got excited. Sam went into the next room to tell his mother what all the excitement was about. She started crying softly. Sam came out.

"She's so sick," he said. "She's crying because she's so happy for the kids."

Ready for a Merry Christmas

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Gus Relias with some of the fowl that will go into Christmas dinner for poor children in the South Water market district.

To Entertain Yanks

Gus Relias, "Christmas tree king" of the South Water market, will play host Christmas day to four soldiers from Chanute field in his home at 1411 South 56th avenue, Cicero, as part of THE TRIBUNE'S "Adopt a Yank" drive. Two of the soldiers are former employés of Relias,' the other two are their buddies. Relias also will donate 150 pounds of turkey toward a dinner for underprivileged children of the South Water market district.

DEFENSE STAMPS AND BONDS TO BE SOLD BY TRIBUNE

2 Public Service Offices Assist Campaign.

THE TRIBUNE today begins the sale of defense bonds and stamps in both of its public service offices, in Tribune Tower, and at 1 South Dearborn street.

Photographs of persons buying bonds at these two offices will be published in THE TRIBUNE.

You can outfit and equip American soldiers, sailors, and marines—including those of the vital air forces—to meet the foe by pausing for a minute to buy defense bonds and stamps at these convenient places.

Redeemed in 10 Years.

Defense bonds, Series E, sell at $18.75, $37.50, $75, $375, and $750, and will be redeemed in 10 years for $25, $50, $100, $500, and $1,000. The public service offices will give purchasers interim receipts, the bonds being sent to buy defense securities at these convenient places.

Defense stamps come in four denominations: 10 cents, 25 cents, 50 cents, and $1 each. These can be saved in a book provided for the purpose until there is a sufficient number to exchange them for a defense bond bearing interest.

The Madison-Dearborn office is open from 8:30 a. m. to 7 p. m., except Friday when it remains open until 9 p. m. It is closed Sunday. The Tower office is open from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m. daily and on Sunday from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Arrange Window Displays.

Posters and window displays are being arranged as a further promotion of defense bond and stamp sales.

Since the outbreak of war on Dec. 7, the Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago has distributed $24,200,000 worth of defense bonds to 2,500 banks in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, and Wisconsin.

Between Dec. 8 and 20, the Chicago postoffice sold $2,314,018 worth of bonds and $863,878 worth of defense stamps thru its various agencies.

The judges' drive to sell defense bonds has brought in $406,875 since it began last week. Yesterday the judges garnered $313,875. The top salesman of the day was Circuit Judge Stanley H. Klarkowski with $135,000 in receipts.

400 Defense Stamps Fail to Dismay Boy Salesman

John Mink, newspaper boy in Elgin, received from a subscriber what looked like an order for $45 in defense stamps. It was a shock when he learned that the order was really for $4.50 and that he had 400 unsold stamps. Undiscouraged, John went to work and sold all but 26 in a house to house canvass on his route.

HITLER HEILER BLAMES DRINK; JUDGE DOESN'T

Drunk or sober, no man can escape punishment for un-American utterances on Chicago streets, Municipal Judge Michael Tremko ruled yesterday in imposing a $100 and costs fine against Laurie J. Hakala, 23 years old, 2522 Burling street, a bartender. Hakala was arrested for disorderly conduct Monday in front of 2500 North Halsted street where he was screaming: "Heil Hitler. Down with America."

Hakala, an American citizen, pleaded yesterday that he was drunk and did not realize what he was saying.

"You never would say those things when you are drunk," Judge Tremko said, "unless you thought them when you are sober."

Hakala was sent to the Bridewell to work out the fine.

Miss Rose Hoffman, 40 years old, 3840 Lake Park avenue, a cook, who was arrested Monday for booing in a theater when a newsreel of President Roosevelt signing the war declarations was shown, was arraigned before Judge J. M. Braude in Women's court. She gave what the judge termed "incoherent answers," while insisting she meant no harm. The judge ordered her examined by Dr. David B. Rotman, Municipal court psychiatrist, and brought to court this morning.

800 OF CHICAGO'S BLIND ARE GUESTS AT YULE PARTY

More than 800 blind adults and children of Chicago and their escorts were entertained last night at a Christmas party given by members of the Blind Service association in the organization's headquarters at 185 North Wabash avenue. Mrs. Gottfried D. Bernstein is the president and founder of the association.

A "sound" floor show was provided for the blind guests, and at the conclusion of the party each family was given a shopping bag filled with foodstuffs and candy.

Found in Saloon

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Policeman Brosnan holding Shirley.

East Chicago avenue police are seeking the parents of an 18 month old girl found sleeping on the floor of a saloon at 1100 North Wells street early today. Mrs. Marie Leach, 171 Hill street, seeing the child from the street, entered and demanded to know whose it was. A young man who refused to identify himself said the tot was with him.

He agreed to leave the infant over night with Mrs. Leach, who called police. Patrolmen Michael Brosnan and Michael Kerrigan took the child to St. Vincent's orphanage. Her name is believed to be Shirley, the man who left her with Mrs. Leach is thought to be an uncle, and Patrolman Kerrigan is pretty annoyed about it all.

"That little girl should have been home dreaming about Santa," he said angrily.

ARMED SERVICES MAY TAKE PART OF WIRE SYSTEM

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Chairman James L. Fly of the Federal Communications commission said today the army and navy might—and probably would—take over certain specific communication facilities for military purposes.

The administration has no plan to take over communications generally, he added in testifying before the senate interstate commerce committee in support of legislation which would give the President the same war time power to take over or control wire communications that he now has with respect to radio facilities.

The FCC chairman told the committee that there was no intention to take over any communication facilities permanently or to exercise censorship of communications under the proposed authority. Whereas in the last war, Fly said, the government took control of the entire telephone system of the nation, he did not believe the same decision would be made again under the same circumstances.

9 FLIGHT GROUPS PLANNED IN NEW AERIAL PATROL

15 to 160 Planes to Be in Each Unit.

Creation of at least nine flight groups, ranging in size from 15 to 160 airplanes each in Illinois, was decided upon yesterday by state and federal officers of the 6th corps area's civil air patrol. The meeting, held at the Civic Opera building, was the first at which army, civilian defense organizations, and the civil air patrol officers got together here.

The civil air patrol is entirely separate from the state air militia that has been organized by Adjt. Gen. Leo Boyle with the approval of Gov. Green. The civil patrol will be federal in its scope and nation-wide, altho it is being organized on a state basis for expeditious enlistment of private flyers and privately owned airplanes.

Vilas Outlines Plans.

Jack Vilas, veteran Chicago flyer and the Illinois wing commander of the patrol, said the tentative tables of organization discussed yesterday call for enlistment of almost every licensed flyer in the state and all licensed aircraft. There are 2,500 pilots in Illinois and more than 600 aircraft.

He said that the initial steps in organizing the patrol were taken before the United States went to war with the axis nations. The war declaration, however, has already resulted in a widening of demands to be made upon the civilian airmen, he said.

While it was believed at first that the patrol's duties would consist chiefly of observation flights over defense areas, power lines, etc., the coming of war means that it will be used for courier and transport service, for ferrying of military planes of all types from factories to squadrons and to shipment points, and for coöperation with newly organized civilian air defense and spotter units, he declared.

Those at Meeting.

Yesterday's session was attended by Maj. Raymond J. Kelly, director of the 6th civil defense region [Illinois, Wisconsin, and Michigan]; Vilas; Maj. Raymond E. Porter, 6th corps air officer; Lieut. D. W. Riley, air corps training detachment officer in this area, and by Lieut. Col. Floyd Evans, who arrived early in the day from Washington, D. C. Col. Evans is the regional commander of the air patrol attached from regular air corps duties.

Col. Evans, who formerly was Michigan state aviation director, left Chicago last night for Milwaukee, where he will meet today with Wisconsin patrol heads.

Gets License

MARJORIE LORD.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 23 [Special].—John Archer, 26, and Marjorie Lord, 23, both Hollywood actors, today went to the county clerk's office in quest of a marriage license. The ceremony, said the couple, will be performed Dec. 30 at the Chapman Park Pueblo Oratorio. Archer and Miss Lord met about six months ago while rehearsing for the play, "The Male Animal," in which they later appeared in San Francisco, Los Angeles, and other Pacific coast cities.

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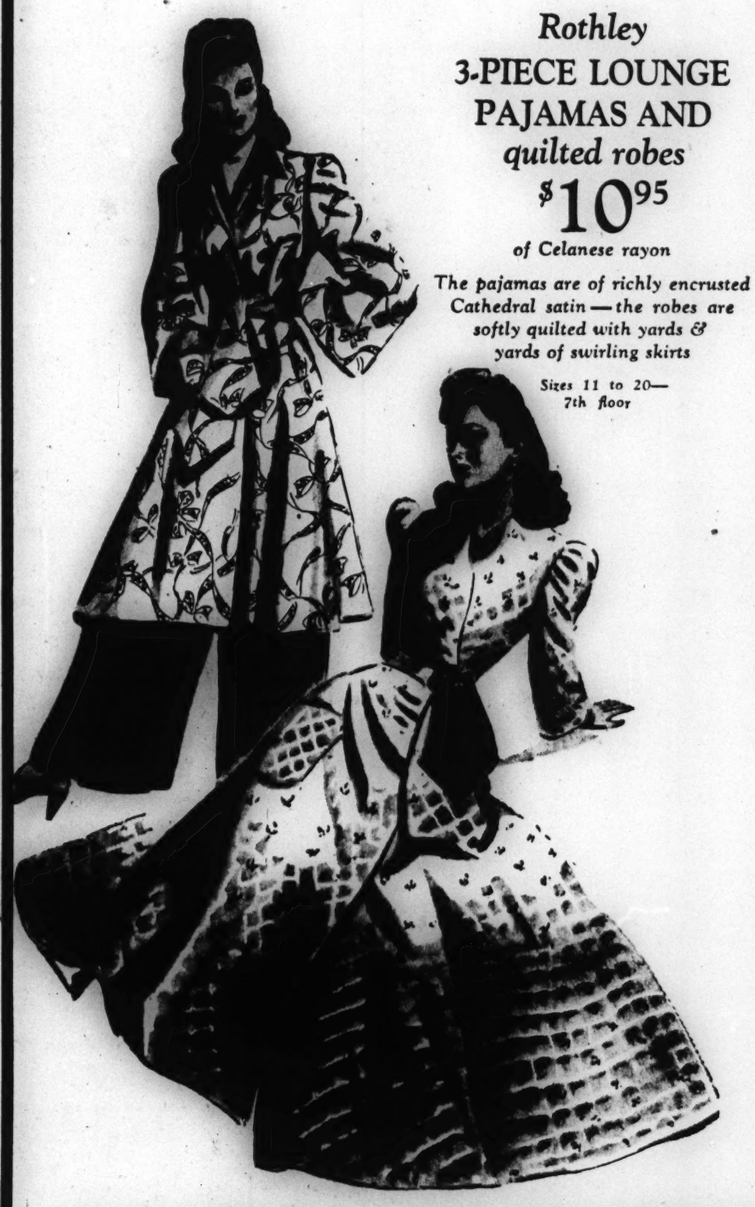

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PRESIDENT AND CHURCHILL OPEN COUNCIL OF WAR

Plan Unified Effort for a Victory Over Axis.

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fleet, and Harry Hopkins, lend-lease administrator.

Aiding the prime minister were Lord Beaverbrook, British minister of supply; Adm. Sir Dudley Pound, first sea lord; Sir Charles Portal, air chief marshal, and Sir John Dill, former chief of staff of the British army.

Holds Two Hour Meeting.

The council broke up after a two hour meeting. No official statement was issued and the conferees refused comment with the exception of Secretary Stimson, who pronounced it "very satisfactory." The time for the next meeting was not announced. Mr. Roosevelt and Churchill dined together and expected to continue their conversations later tonight.

It is expected that the negotiations will keep Mr. Churchill and the other members of the British delegation here over the week-end.

The prime minister brought with him all told 83 expert advisers representing the army, navy, and air arms. Some of them will remain in Washington indefinitely to collaborate with American officials in carrying out the measures agreed upon.

On Christmas day, it was announced, the President and the prime minister will attend an interdenominational church service at a time and place to be kept secret.

Conference Conceived by Churchill.

It transpired during the day that the conferences in Washington for the coördination of the war activities of the allies were conceived by the British government and the first suggestion came to Mr. Roosevelt from Mr. Churchill.

The necessity of a unified plan of allied operations was emphasized to the British by the disasters suffered by the American arms in the Japanese raid on Pearl Harbor and by the British in the loss of the battleships Prince of Wales and Repulse at the hands of Japanese bombers in the South Pacific.

At the same time the British learned that they were up against a formidable Japanese army and air force advancing upon Singapore. It turned out that the Japanese had upward of 400,000 troops in Indo-China which were moved rapidly into Thailand and thence down the Malayan peninsula, forcing back the greatly outnumbered British defenders of Singapore. Information deemed reliable was that the Japanese had 1,000 airplanes in this sector alone.

Jap Air Power Underestimated.

Both the British and American high commands also woke up to the fact that Japanese air strength had been grossly underestimated. There appeared reason to believe that the number of Japanese planes of all fighting classes is in excess of 6,000. In view of the plane losses suffered by the American army and navy at Pearl Harbor the possession of 6,000 serviceable planes would give Japan air predominancy in the Pacific, which in view of the demonstrated superiority of air bombers to surface ships would mean Japanese control of the Pacific.

A large percentage of the Japanese planes are of German manufacture. Many of the Japanese fighting planes are German Messerschmitts. While many of the Japanese torpedo planes are antiquated, they proved effective at Pearl Harbor. The Japanese dive bombers are up to date and many of them German.

Drive into Africa Feared.

No less disturbing to the British than the aspect of the situation in the far east were the indications that Hitler, retreating on the Russian front, is preparing an attempt to regain prestige by a drive into the near east or thru Spain into northwest Africa. If Hitler should succeed in penetrating northwest Africa he would be able to establish bases at Dakar and other coastal points from which to prey on the south Atlantic shipping supplying British troops in the near east.

He might even be able to seize the Portuguese Azores and Cape Verde Islands, which would enable him to dominate the south Atlantic, leaving Britain and America only the north Atlantic for a last stand against the nazis.

The British lost no time in acting on this alarming aspect of the situation in both the Atlantic and Pacific theaters of war. Japan attacked the United States Dec. 7. The two British battleships were sunk on Dec. 10. On Dec. 11 Churchill and his party left London for Washington.

Bring Ideas on Strategy.

The British have a number of definite ideas, the acceptance of which by the American authorities they will seek in the current conferences. They are of the opinion that because of the reverses suffered by Britain and the United States in the Pacific it may become impossible to hold either the Philippines or Singapore against Japanese attack without the expenditure of material and manpower that might better be devoted at this time to the effort to rout Hitler's war machine in Europe and Africa.

According to this view the war will not be won until Hitler is defeated. The allied effort should be concentrated on the destruction of the German army. After that is accomplished Japan can be disposed of with comparatively little trouble.

Would Expect Flow of Arms.

If this view of the problem should be adopted the flow of American military equipment to the European and African theaters of war would be increased and to the Pacific region diminished. It is also likely that American troops would be sent to Africa at an early date. While there would not be sufficient shipping for a large AEF it might be possible to send from 25,000 to 50,000 men.

One of the big objectives of the allied negotiators is to step up American production. The allies will win the war in the end because America can outproduce the axis in the implements of war.

But the United States is producing far short of its maximum. Its factories must be operated 24 hours a day, seven days a week. The government needs an organization that can mobilize such maximum production. Lord Beaverbrook, who organized British production, is here to tell Mr. Roosevelt how to do it.

'Half a Wallflower'

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

MRS. MARION KRUSE.

Mrs. Marion Kruse, 27 years old, 534 Ludlam avenue, told Judge Thomas J. Lynch yesterday that her husband Herbert, 28, a printer, forced her to be 50 per cent wallflower altho she loved to dance.

"He wouldn't let me dance with any one else," she said. "When he got tired, I had to sit the dances out with him. Twice when I tried to sneak in a dance with some one else, he caught me and whaled me."

Judge Lynch ruled that the "whaling" constituted cruelty and granted Mrs. Kruse a divorce. Her attorneys, Joseph H. and Norman Becker, said that Mrs. Kruse had accepted an out of court settlement of $8,000. She was also granted $8 a week support for a daughter, Darlene, 6.

CHURCHILL SAYS ONLY KNOCKOUT WILL BEAT FOES

Warns Internal Collapse Is Unlikely.

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conferences between himself and the prime minister were preliminary to a general exchange of views between the allies and that no nation was to be excluded from deliberations on the general objective of eliminating Hitlerism from the world.

Asked About Singapore.

The first question directed at Churchill was whether he regarded Singapore as the key to the far Pacific situation. He replied that the key, as he saw it, was the resolute manner in which American and British forces are throwing themselves into the conflict. Geographically and strategically Singapore is of high importance and will be stubbornly defended.

He was asked if he could say anything about German morale. Without hesitation he replied that he had always had a feeling that the allies would get a windfall in that direction, but added that while such a windfall would be nice, it could not be counted upon. However, he said he hoped that the day would come as it did in the last war that suddenly the allies would wake up to find themselves running out of Huns.

He expressed himself heartened by the recent Russian victories over Germany, citing the Russian counter-offensive as one of the most heartening trends of the war.

Thankful for U. S. Entry.

He uttered a fervent "Thank God" when he spoke of the entry of the United States into the war and the Russian counterattacks. Any one who had lived thru the lonely days of 1940 would utter thanks to God for these developments, he said.

He brushed aside the suggestion that Germany is facing a serious shortage of war materials as a result of the Russian campaign. He said that there was no doubt Hitler had suffered a very heavy rebuff in his plans to take Moscow in a very short time, and that Russian resiliency had rendered a very great service to the world cause.

However, Germany took great quantities of stores from conquered nations and her factories are turning out quantities of war materials. Quality may suffer as time goes on and new and improved weapons are developed, but the Germans are nowhere near exhaustion.

Sidesteps Time of Victory.

"When will we lick 'em?" a correspondent asked.

With a hearty laugh Churchill replied that if we manage it well it will take just half as long as if we manage it badly. Asked how long it would take if it were managed badly, he said that had not been revealed to him at the moment. Asked how long it would take if managed well, he said it would be imprudent to indulge in optimism. He sidestepped both reportorial traps neatly and had another hearty laugh.

Asked if he favored conferences with himself, Mr. Roosevelt, Stalin, and Chiang Kai-shek seated around the same table, he showed he was alert to language barriers such a conference would raise by snapping back with, in principle, yes.

Expects New Axis Move.

Churchill was asked if he expected any new axis offensive. He pondered a moment and replied that he had heard a lot of talk about new activity in the Mediterranean and an offensive against England in the spring and expected that something would come of it. Any information, he told his questioner, would be gratefully received.

He said that he expected the mighty military and munitions power of the United States so to grow, that the big question will be where and when war materials can be sent to other belligerent democracies, rather than in what theater will the United States operate.

Suggests Dealing with Present.

Asked whether the present conferences would embrace economic, diplomatic, and post-war problems, he said he hoped for as little as possible, saying that the conferences should be concerned with the present grim emergency and leave such questions for less pressing times.

Asked whether the conferences were developing an allied high command, he said that the war had become so complex in embracing the entire world that he doubted if any one man—even if he were a Napoleon—could direct the campaign against Hitlerism.

The final questions related to the outcome of the war. He was asked if he expected internal collapse and replied by saying that the allies should not bank on that, but bank on delivering an external knockout to Hitler.

No Doubt of Victory.

"Have you any doubt of final victory?" he was asked.

No doubt whatsoever, was his prompt reply.

Churchill smoked a large black cigar while Mr. Roosevelt puffed at a cigaret in his now famous elongated holder. Churchill sat in a chair beside the President.

The prime minister wore the garb in which he has often been photographed, a dark single breasted coat, striped trousers, a white shirt, and a polka-dot bow tie. The President wore a light gray business suit, a white shirt, and a dark four-in-hand tie.

U. S. ARMS HELD MAJOR ISSUE IN BRITISH PARLEY

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—American production of arms and war supplies is regarded as being a major consideration of President Roosevelt and Winston Churchill, British premier, in their conferences in the White House.

Continuation of the program of making the United States the arsenal of the allied powers is considered to be essential to planning grand strategy to defeat the axis.

From the American point of view the problem is looked upon as that of turning out enough war supplies to make the United States the mightiest military force in the world and to provide Britain and Russia with materials. From the British and Russian point of view the problem is regarded as one of keeping American supplies flowing into their armies.

British Focus on Europe.

The British are said to be approaching the problem by endeavoring to convince President Roosevelt that Europe and the middle east are the main theaters of war and that Japan can be taken care of after Hitler is defeated.

The general production picture, as far as can be disclosed without giving information to the enemy, is as follows in the four major production fields:

AIRCRAFT.

In July, 1940, planes were being turned out at the rate of 500 a month. These were largely training planes and the military craft were not of the high type of perfection demanded by modern warfare. By January, 1941, planes were being manufactured at the rate of more than 1,000 a month.

The program at that time called for 3,000 a month. This was regarded as too slow, and the President called for 50,000 planes a year. Planes were being turned out by 26 plants at the rate of 2,000 a month. Plans are being made now to double the present production capacity or to provide 4,000 or possibly even 5,000 planes a month.

NAVAL SHIP BUILDING.

In 1940 the navy had 138 vessels building or under contract. With the adoption of the two ocean navy program this was stepped up so that now more than 700 ships are building or under contract.

ORDNANCE.

At the outset of the defense program it was planned to place more than 60 ordnance plants into production. Thus far 30 of these are operating. Rifles and machine guns are being turned out each day by the thousands. The plants are slow on artillery, and ammunition is even slower.

Light tanks are rolling off production lines in numbers. Production at the end of November was approximately 600 a month. Plans called for 2,800 tanks a month by the end of next year. The war has forced revisions of the estimates.

MACHINE TOOLS.

Machine tools are the vital need of defense. Before planes, guns, tanks, and ships can be turned out, machine tools must be had to make them. Much of the delay in achieving scheduled production resulted from shortage of machine tools.

At the outset of the war this country was turning out 25,000 units of machine tools a year. Production was quadrupled last year. At the outbreak of the war production for this year was nearing 200,000 units.

The defense schedule, made obsolete by the war, called for the expenditure of 1 billion 200 million on machine tools in 1942. It is acknowledged that machine tool deliveries in 1942 must be more than doubled if other production is to be increased by 100 per cent.

Roosevelt Signs Measure to Increase Naval Tonnage

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—President Roosevelt today signed a bill authorizing construction of an additional 150,000 tons of naval vessels. At the same time he signed a joint resolution authorizing the committee investigating the Japanese attack on Hawaii to compel the attendance of witnesses and the protection of documents.

LONDON PREDICTS PARLEY FOR ALL ANTI-AXIS LANDS

BY LARRY RUE.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The meeting in Washington between President Roosevelt and Prime Minister Winston Churchill is hailed here as the preliminary to a new confederation of freedom loving nations. This would include Russia and China.

An interallied conference of all the nations at war against the axis will follow the Washington talks, well informed circles state. Strategy, disposition of forces, man power, and supplies pooled among all these nations ultimately under a supreme war council is expected to be the result of the measures now being agreed upon by Churchill and Roosevelt.

A Dissent by Australia.

How these fighting forces and supplies will be allocated to the various fronts is not stated, but for the moment Australia's insistence that Singapore is "vital" is given prominence in the press.

Space also is given to the statement of Air Chief Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, British commander in the far east, whom the Australian leaders charged with irresponsible complacency, that, altho Britain "may have lost a large part of northern Malaya," this will be only "for a short time."

Discuss Atlantic War.

General satisfaction continues to be expressed regarding the British operations in the Mediterranean and those of Russia on the eastern front. The authorities today said that the battle of the Atlantic is going pretty well.

Most commentators here, like Minister of Supply Lord Beaverbrook's Daily Express, regard the battle of the Pacific as of secondary importance.

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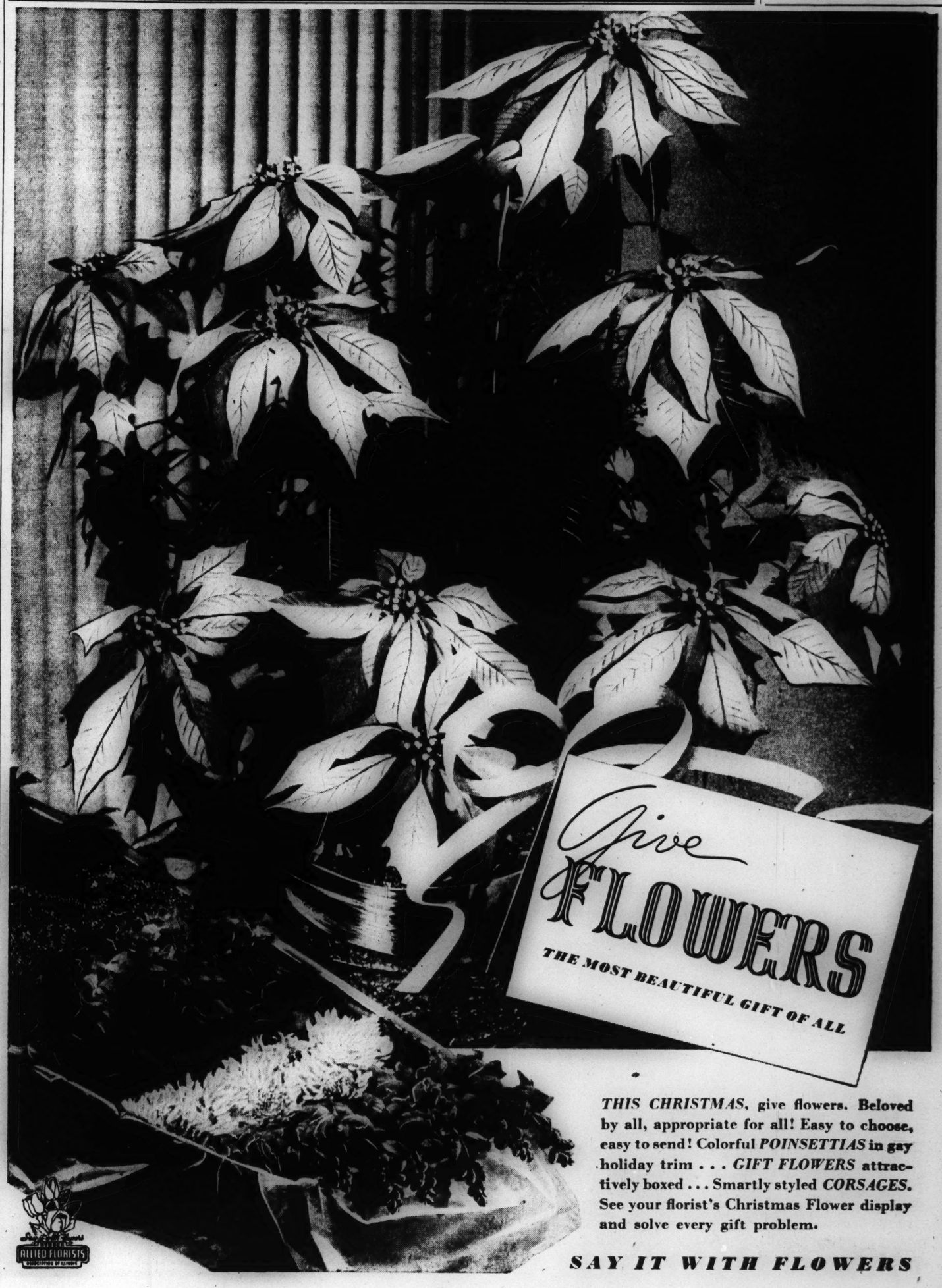

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PRO-WAR GROUP WILL CLOSE ITS CHICAGO OFFICE

Most of Staff Dismissed; Goal Achieved.

BY CHARLES LEAVELLE.

Altho no formal statement is expected for several days, it became known yesterday that the executive committee already has voted to disband the Chicago chapter of Fight for Freedom Inc., which for months waged a campaign to get the United States into war. Most of the office staff it maintained at 111 West Washington street has been dismissed and the office will be closed when the lease expires Dec. 31.

In light of this a canvass was made yesterday of as many officers and executive members as could be reached in an effort to learn whether they plan to enter the armed forces, now that declaration of war has made further war propaganda unnecessary. This showed that as in the case of the committee's national executives, a large number of its 25 Chicago leaders are over military age.

5,000 Members Claimed.

Among those who are not, however, is Courtenay Barber Jr., 36 years old, director of the Chicago chapter. In a telephone conversation he said the committee has about 5,000 members in Chicago of all ages. He said that those who should serve with the armed forces undoubtedly would.

Barber, asked if he planned to enlist, said: "When I am called I will do whatever I may, whether it be counteracting Quislings and fifth columnists at home or whatever it may be."

Denison B. Hull, chairman of the Chicago chapter since last October, is 44 years old. He said he is actively trying to get into the service, preferably the army.

He said the time has come for the committee to "take a long sleep," but that future events may change everything.

Only First Goal Achieved.

"Only our first objective has been attained," he said, "and that was more thrust upon us than attained. The people must be made to know what this war is about."

Numerous efforts to reach Dr. Albert Parry were unavailing. Dr. Parry [born Paretzky in Rostov-on-Don in the Cossack country of Russia in 1901] is one of the most interesting of the Fight for Freedom group, but all inquiries were met with the vaguest replies.

This much is known, however, of Dr. Parry [Paretzky]: he is of military age and has a store of military experience, having fought on both sides in the Russian revolution, deserting several times from the White army. Once his fleetness of foot saved him from a waiting firing squad. He guided Fight for Freedom activities last fall during Barber's absence in the east.

Of Military Age.

Charles P. O'Donnell, member of the executive committee, said: "I am of military age, but anything I have to say about my intentions will be said to my draft board."

A. R. Frank, one of the members of the executive board, asserted he was one of those who voted to disband the Fight for Freedom committee, tho he believes there is at least one other objective to be attained.

"We must not allow an isolationist peace," he said. "We must have senators and representatives who will refuse to ratify an insular peace. I am realist enough to realize, however, that it would be difficult to raise money to finance a campaign of this sort, so I voted to disband, but keep the executive committee on call."

Study Civilian Morale.

What the future holds for the Milwaukee chapter of Fight for Freedom will be decided soon, according to Dr. Elston Belknap, a member. He believes that tho its major objective now is reality, the committee should continue to operate to sustain civilian morale against the time "when the casualty lists and the new taxes begin to arrive."

Those attending a meeting Friday afternoon at 221 East Wisconsin avenue, Milwaukee, will decide the future of the Committee to Defend America by Aiding the Allies—an organization so similar to Fight for Freedom that in New York the chapters of the two were merged.

"Our objectives have been achieved," said Edmund Burke Shea, its president. "The question is, should we remain to accomplish still other objectives?"

Nazis Raid Southeastern Britain; RAF Hits France

LONDON, Dec. 23 (AP).—Bombs dropped in southeastern England by German raiders caused several casualties and slight damage tonight while the royal air force was attacking the French coastal regions of Calais and Boulogne. A German raider also showered incendiaries on an East Anglian town, and British anti-aircraft guns on the Thames estuary fired on other planes.

Suit Resisted

VERA REYNOLDS.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 23 [Special].—Attempts on the part of Vera Reynolds, actress in the days of the silent screen, to insure herself $150 a month alimony for life today met with resistance from her estranged husband, Robert Ellis, film writer. Ellis made known his position in filing an answer in Superior court to her suit for cancellation of an agreement she and Ellis signed April 10, 1939, under which he promised to pay her $150 a month for three years.

Miss Reynolds, in her suit, complains she signed this document under misapprehension and without realizing that it would nullify another agreement signed March 28, 1938, which gave her $150 a month for life.

Ellis contends that Miss Reynolds was fully apprised of the contents of the later document and that she signed it of her own free will.

PEPPER SILENT WHEN ASKED IF HE WILL ENLIST

Florida Senator Has Nothing to Say.

BY CHESLY MANLY.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—Sen. Claude Pepper [D., Fla.], was momentarily speechless today when asked whether he intends to offer his services to the nation's fighting forces.

"Well!" gasped the usually garrulous senator. The words which flow so mellifluously in the senate, the drawling speech with its faint Harvard accent, for once failed him. After a long, impressive silence, he said:

"I don't care to make any comment on that. The records will show that at any time it may become important."

At Home for Holidays.

Sen. Pepper was reached by telephone at his home in Tallahassee, Fla., where he is enjoying the holiday season altho congress is still in session.

The Florida senator is 41 years old. Under the new draft law the age limits for military liability are 20 to 44, inclusive, but senators and other public officials are deferred from training and service.

Many senators who served in the first World war and others who are reserve officers have volunteered their services for active duty since the country became involved in the second World war. Among these are Henry Cabot Lodge Jr. [R., Mass.], Wayland Brooks, [R., Ill.], Scott W. Lucas [D., Ill.], Bennett Champ Clark [D., Mo.], Harry S. Truman [D., Mo.], and A. B. Chandler [D., Ky].

Implied He Would Enlist.

Sen. Pepper, who is known among his colleagues as the Florida flame thrower, was asked about his intentions with respect to military service because of his previous intimations in senate debate that he would enlist if the country should go to war. He scrupulously refrained from any direct promise to enlist, but he implied that he would.

Former Sen. Rush D. Holt [D., W. Va.], asked Sen. Pepper on June 3, 1940, whether he would "enlist to go over when he sends American boys over."

"Well, I suspect that the junior senator from Florida would exhibit about as much patriotism as would his associates here," Pepper replied.

"I am glad to hear the senator will enlist," Holt observed, and Pepper did not correct him.

Served in S. A. T. C.

"I at least was technically subject to the jurisdiction of the United States during the previous war," Pepper added. Asked how long he served, he replied: "From Oct. 7, 1918, until Dec. 12, as is attested by an honorable discharge."

Sen. Pepper, who was born on Sept. 8, 1900, and became 18 on Sept. 8, 1918, served in the students' army training corps at the University of Alabama from Oct. 7 to Dec. 12, 1918.

The senator is married now but has no children.

INDUSTRY TAKES NO-STRIKE PACT WITH OBJECTION

Argues Board Should Not Scan Closed Shop.

BY JOHN FISHER.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—Representatives of industry, while accepting the strike-elimination program for the duration of the war which was announced earlier in the day, pleaded tonight that the war labor board to be set up to handle labor disputes should not accept the closed shop issue for arbitration or consideration.

The President's labor-management conference reached agreement on a three-point program to end strikes during the war emergency and Mr. Roosevelt readily accepted the plan.

Details of Agreement.

The agreement was the same as that industry representatives rejected yesterday. This was the plan:

1. There shall be no strikes or lockouts for the duration of the war.
2. All labor disputes shall be settled by peaceful means.
3. The President shall appoint a war labor board to handle the disputes.

Announcing their acceptance of this program, employer members of the conference asked that consideration be given to the principle they had maintained: That the board should refuse to consider any closed shop dispute, requiring that a person become or remain a member of a labor organization if he is to get or hold a job.

Urge Status Quo.

"We recommend that, for the duration of the war," the statement read, "employers shall not attempt to change the terms, in present contracts which provide for the closed shop. Where a closed shop contract does not now exist, it may under the law be arrived at by voluntary negotiation. We endorse without reservation the right of labor to organize and bargain collectively.

"But it would be a serious mistake to abandon the principle that the right to work should not be infringed by government thru requirement of membership in any organization, whether union or otherwise.

"The closed shop is the most highly controversial and emotional question in industrial relations today. To accept it as an issue for government arbitration would intensify agitation, increase labor disputes, and divert the energy of both labor and management from the vital job of production.

See Production Impaired.

"Unless this issue is resolved in advance, it will impair the effectiveness of the proposed war labor board itself. From our experience, we are convinced that the continual presentation of this issue before government agencies would seriously impair the nation's productive activities."

But the President plainly indicated in his letter accepting the three-point program that it covered the handling of all disputes, including closed shop controversies. The closed shop issue had deadlocked the parley almost from the beginning and resulted in failure to reach unanimous agreement by last Thursday or Friday night as Mr. Roosevelt requested.

Industry preferred a freezing of the present status of open and closed shops for the duration of the war but the twelve representatives of organized labor, including William Green, president of the American Federation of Labor; John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America, and Philip Murray, president of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, bitterly opposed this proposal.

Roosevelt Steps In.

After the management group yesterday rejected the three point plan on the grounds it would allow the government to determine new union shop demands, moderators for the conference, William H. Davis, chairman of the National Defense Mediation board, and Sen. Elbert D. Thomas [D., Utah], were instructed to report to President Roosevelt, whose advice to the conference undoubtedly was responsible for the shift in the management stand. Thomas had proposed the antistrike program to the conference.

After the agreement was announced today, Thomas, who is chairman of the senate education and labor committee, expressed the opinion that antistrike legislation would be unnecessary now that the 'voluntary" agreement had been reached. However, Sen. Styles Bridges [R., N. H.] declared earlier in the senate that congress should enact antistrike legislation because of quibbling over the closed shop issue. It is believed there will be no legislation on the subject since Mr. Roosevelt has balked it since the beginning of defense strikes.

Roosevelt's Letter.

In his letter to the conference, which was read by Davis after which the conference adjourned, Mr. Roosevelt said:

"I accept without reservation your covenants that there shall be no strikes or lockouts and all disputes shall be settled by peaceful means. I shall proceed at once to act on your third point.

"Government must act in general. The three points agreed upon cover of necessity all disputes that may arise between labor and management.

"The particular disputes must be left to the consideration of those who can study the particular differences and who are thereby prepared by knowledge to pass judgment in the particular case.

Full Faith in Future.

"I have full faith that no group in our national life will take undue advantage while we are faced by common enemies.

"I congratulate you—I thank you and your people will join me in appreciation of your great contribution.

"Your achievement is a response to a common desire of all men of good will that strikes and lockouts cease and that disputes be settled by peaceful means.

"May I now wish you a Merry Christmas."

Quibbling Denounced.

In addressing the senate, Bridges attacked the conference's "quibbling while American boys are dying." He also criticized Thomas for offering the conference a "government plan."

"I was rather surprised," said Bridges, "because I clearly understood that the government was not to offer a plan, that this was to be a voluntary plan of industry and labor, and that if they failed to agree, congress would take over. I don't know whom Senator Thomas was acting for, whether for himself, the labor committee, or the President, but it was my understanding the government would not offer a plan."

U. S. Ships Attacked

(Story in adjoining column.)

Arrow gives approximate location of attacks on American shipping off California coast.

SUSPECT LOWER CALIFORNIA AS JAP SUB HAVEN

MEXICO CITY, Mex., Dec. 23 [Special].—The presence of Japanese submarines off the coast of California has led defense experts here today to suspect that they may be refuelling at small harbors or along the remote, almost uninhabited coast of the Gulf of California or along the Pacific side of the peninsula.

The passage by the senate of the bill submitted by President Manuel Avila Camacho allowing the use of Mexican waters and Mexican soil by the American armed forces is expected to intensify the surveillance over the long Pacific coast line.

Observers here recalled the seizure by Mexican marines last week of two supposed fishing boats and the imprisonment of their Japanese crews. Various Japanese colonies are scattered along this coast. Before the war ostensible fishing boats, tho often without fishing tackle, carried Japanese along the coasts of the Gulf of California where they made soundings—as the Germans did of the Norwegian coast before the invasion of that country, and for the same reasons.

ARIZONA PHOTOS SHOW HER FLAG FLYING AT END

(Picture on back page.)

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—The navy released today a photograph of the ravaged battleship Arizona, hit by bombs and aerial torpedoes, showing that the dreadnaught sank to the bottom of Pearl Harbor with flag flying and anti-aircraft guns turned aloft.

Altho Secretary of the Navy Knox listed the 32,600 ton battle wagon as "destroyed" and therefore presumably beyond salvage, the photograph showed the deck was about one foot above the surface and much of the stern superstructure to outward appearances undamaged.

The photograph apparently was taken within a day or so after the devastating Japanese onslaught of Dec. 7, for smoke still poured from the blaze which gutted the Arizona amidships, and a rescue and salvage tug was moored at the stern of the warship.

SUBMARINE SINKS U. S. SHIP; FIRES ON RESCUE BOATS

Turns Machine Guns on Tanker Survivors.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 23 [Special].—An enemy submarine sank the American tanker Montebello off the California coast today and fired on fishing boats which picked up the survivors.

The entire crew, said to number between 36 and 40, was saved, according to late reports.

The tanker Larry Doheny was reported to have been attacked by an undersea craft in the same general locality at about the same time the Montebello was sunk. The Doheny was reported to have escaped, but the navy said it had not been in communication with the ship since the attack.

The new raids brought to eight the number made by enemy submarines on American freighters and tankers in nearby Pacific waters since the opening of the war.

Machine Guns Fire on Boats.

"There was a hell of an explosion," Bill Srez, one of the Montebello's crewmen said after he was dragged from the surf, "and the submarine fired on us from the deck. Fellows in other boats were subjected to machine gun fire after they had started for shore."

Srez said he did not know whether the Montebello had been torpedoed. Some watchers on shore saw the ship being shelled. They said that after several shells had been fired, one direct hit caused the tanker's bow to lurch upward and she sank almost immediately.

Capt. Olaf Eckstrom, the tanker's skipper, said the 440 foot ship was attacked about 6 a. m. From about 3 a.m. until almost midmorning, however, the sound of gunfire rolled into shore from action only a few miles off the coast.

Sounds of gunfire and of a shattering explosion were heard at Estero bay and at Morro bay, on the coast off San Louis Obispo, before dawn. Flashes from the guns could be seen on shore.

The gunfire appeared to be about six miles at sea. A concussion that rattled windows and doors of houses along the coast was felt around 4 a. m.

Sheriff Murray C. Hathaway of San Louis Obispo county said longboats and fishing craft trying to rescue the survivors from the tanker were shelled and machine gunned from the attacking craft. He said lifeboats with survivors also were fired on.

Seek Speed on Arms.

Meantime, masters and crewmen of American merchantmen in the Pacific looked to the navy for redoubled speed in arming ships to fight off the axis undersea raiders.

Sailors said most of the attackers seemed confident they would not encounter armed resistance. In three of the attacks submarines disdained to use their torpedoes and rose to the surface, where they opened fire with deck guns.

Shellfire sank the freighter Lahaina but failed to hit the tanker Agwiworld or the schooner Samoa, both of which escaped. Both torpedoes and deck guns were used in the successful attack on the tanker Emidio and a torpedo sank the freighter Cynthia Olson. The tanker H. M. Storey outmaneuvered a torpedoing attempt.

COMMISSIONERS IN HONOLULU FOR PROBE IN ATTACK

HONOLULU, Dec. 22 (AP) [Delayed].—The commission appointed by President Roosevelt to investigate the surprise Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7 has arrived in Honolulu, it was officially announced tonight.

Justice Owen J. Roberts of the Supreme court, who heads the group, said no statement could be issued at this time, owing to the nature of the inquiry.

The announcement said that following completion of the investigation the commission would return to Washington to report to the President, "who will at that time issue such a statement as he deems fitting."

Listed as Casualties

John Lindsley (left) and Frank K. Davis.

A navy telegram informing Mr. and Mrs. Michael P. Delles of 1414 South 2d street, St. Charles, that their twin sons, Lester and Leslie, had been killed in action in the Pacific fighting was proved at least 50 per cent wrong yesterday. They had received from Lester a letter stating he was safe in a west coast port. Leslie, however, was on a ship that was damaged by the Japanese in Hawaii.

A Geneva sailor, Charles Le Roy Thompson of 418 Anderson boulevard, was reported missing and supposedly killed on the battleship Arizona. Previously the navy had notified relatives of Oscar Maynard Thompson, of 601 Richards street, Geneva, that an earlier report of his death was incorrect and that he was uninjured.

Other casualties announced were: Frank K. Davis, former clerk at the Edgewater Beach hotel, killed in action, and John Lindsley, of 1525 Lloyd avenue, Waukegan, missing in action—both in the Pacific war theater.

STRIKE TIES UP CHRISTMAS FOOD OF BRITISH TOWN

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 23.—The food ministry put emergency arrangements into operation today to see that 20,000 persons in Bath—about one-fifth of the city's population—do not go on short rations over Christmas. They were deprived of bread and milk this morning, because of a lightning strike by the employés of the local coöperative society stores.

The ministry issued special ration coupons to the society's customers to use in any shop in town. The ministry will take over the society's meat supplies and distribute them to other butchers. The coöperative's customers with emergency ration cards can buy the meat. Women's volunteer services have offered to distribute the milk supplies. Many persons, however, feared there would not be enough food to go around and long queues lined up at the shops which remained open.

The strike, which was not backed by the union, developed after the company decided to increase bonus payments to younger members of the staff because of the shortage of junior labor and also upped the bonus rates for branch managers. This meant a slight cut in the bonus to other employés.

LONDON PAYING $1.06 A POUND FOR HOLIDAY TURKEY

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Exorbitant prices today continued to dampen the spirit of Christmas cheer.

Investigators reported that little toy elephants, made of cloth, not more than five inches high, which would normally cost 32 cents, are selling for $2, while games which used to sell normally at from 12 to 20 cents are bringing $1.62.

Turkey prices, too, were quoted at $1.06 a pound, despite the controlled price of 88 cents; pears brought as much as 38 cents each; grapes, $3 to $3.72 a pound; and chrysanthemums, 38 to 40 cents each. In the west end, marigolds sold for $1.52 a bunch. Other prices showed 100 to 300 per cent increases.

A CONGRESSMAN KEEPS PROMISE AND JOINS NAVY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Rep. Eugene Worley [D., Tex.], disclosed today he had joined the naval reserve and had been ordered to active duty.

Carrying out a campaign promise to volunteer if he should ever vote for war, Worley yesterday was commissioned a lieutenant commander.

He was the second Texas congressman to join the navy. Rep. Lyndon B. Johnson, a lieutenant commander in the reserve corps, left today for San Francisco.

CHINA APPOINTS T. V. SOONG AS ITS FOREIGN MINISTER

CHUNGKING, China, Dec. 23 (AP).—T. V. Soong, now in Washington, D. C., as Chinese representative for lend-lease aid to his country, today was appointed foreign minister of China.

His appointment came as Winston Churchill and President Roosevelt began conversations on allied coöperation and it was believed here that Soong, brother-in-law of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek, as foreign minister could represent China when the American-British talks were expanded to include the other allies.

Soong, chairman of the board of directors of the Bank of China, has been in Washington since 1939 as chief of China Defense Supplies, Inc. He replaces Quo Tai-Chi, who was named chairman of the foreign affairs association of the supreme national defense council.

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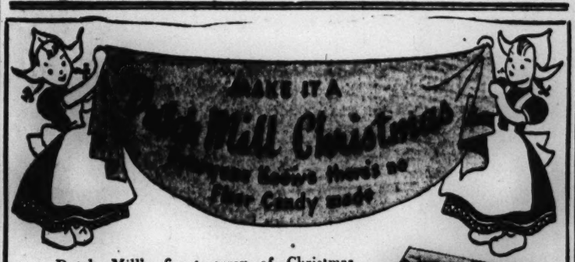

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SINGAPORE READY TO REPEL JAPS BY LAND AND BY SEA

British Base's Guns Called Key to World Fate.

(Map on back page.)

BY CAPT. M. M. CORPENING.

Singapore base, objective of a Japanese land drive down the Malay peninsula, is Britain's Gibraltar of the east. The importance of its strategic location cannot be overemphasized. It is one of the world's strongest naval bases and so long as Britain commands it Japan's threat to the Netherlands East Indies, Australia, and New Zealand is blocked.

Singapore itself is an island at the tip of the Malay peninsula, connected to the peninsula by a causeway over Johore strait. Measuring 14 by 27 miles, the island commands important east-west sea routes of the far east. It is considered so vital that Field Marshal Lord Roberts once said the history of the world would be decided at Singapore some day.

Can Take Care of Big Fleet.

While similar in purpose to the American base at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, and other major naval bases, Singapore differs in that it lacks a big natural basin. However, Johore strait forms a big basin, since it is closed at one end by a causeway. It is closed at the other end by mines. In this basin a large fleet can be anchored. It offers 22 square miles of deep sea anchorage. The size of the harbor and its attendant docks would enable Singapore to repair all the ships in the British Mediterranean fleet, if necessary.

The naval base contains drydocks in which the world's largest battleships can be repaired. These docks and the others at the base are fully equipped to repair, refit, and refuel any ships.

Most important of the docks is the floating drydock which was built in England and towed to the orient in 1929. It is large enough for a 45,000 ton battleship. In addition there is a superdrydock 1,000 feet long and 130 feet wide, big enough to accommodate two battleships at once. The docks are on the strait side of the island, many miles from an open sea attack. The facilities include the necessary cranes to remove the heaviest guns from warships.

The port also possesses workshops for machinery and guns, one of the most powerful transmitting stations in the world, and huge underground oil and armament depots.

Equipped for Land Attack.

Altho the bulk of Singapore's powerful defenses is aimed against a threat by sea, it is equipped to combat a land attack such as the Japanese are attempting. Far north of the base along the Malay peninsula is a natural barrier to any enemy—dense jungle country.

The jungles, particularly on the east coast of Malaya, only are crossed by several main roads which can be protected by aircraft. The jungles sweep down to the narrow beaches on the east coast; it would be extremely difficult to slash thru this tangle with any sizable force. The Japanese would be compelled, therefore, to concentrate on the limited number of main roads, and these can be raked by machine gun fire and blasted by bombs from the air.

If the Japanese can penetrate the jungle, they would run into fire from Singapore's field artillery and then into a seething fire from the base's concrete pillboxes, which command the shores across the strait. The beaches of the island are ringed with machine guns and barbed wire. A stiff price would be exacted from any foe attempting to capture Singapore.

Get U. S. Bombers.

While the strength of the army guarding Singapore is a secret, the British are believed to have a big force on the island and the peninsula. Last May travelers estimated the army at 120,000, including British, Australian, Indian, and Malay troops. Since then almost weekly dispatches have told of the arrival of huge new convoys, complete with tanks and mechanized equipment.

American heavy bombers and fighter planes have been shipped to Singapore and the Dutch Indies in a growing stream for months. Other planes are believed to have come from Britain to bolster the already formidable air arm guarding the naval base.

Heavy British fleet units were shifted from the Atlantic to Singapore, but the British have admitted the Japanese gained sea superiority when they sank the battleship Prince of Wales and the battle cruiser Repulse. Nevertheless, attack from the sea is considered unlikely, since enemy warships first would have to destroy secret fortifications which ring the coast and dot nearby islands. Some of the batteries include 18 inch guns, the most powerful in the world.

Expanses of Shallow Water.

Additional defenses are provided by a large number of small islands and vast expanses of shallow water which would hamper enemy fleet movements.

In peacetime Singapore is one of the orient's great trade centers and the city is one of the world's most cosmopolitan. In wartime the hot humid island, covered by tropical foliage, is principally of value as a base from which naval units may operate to protect the shipping of Britain and her allies and to strangle Japanese trade in the Pacific.

Hongkong was formerly Britain's naval bastion in the far east, but the Washington naval pact of 1922 forbade new fortifications east of 110 degrees east longitude. Emphasis was shifted to Singapore, which escaped the limitation by six degrees of longitude.

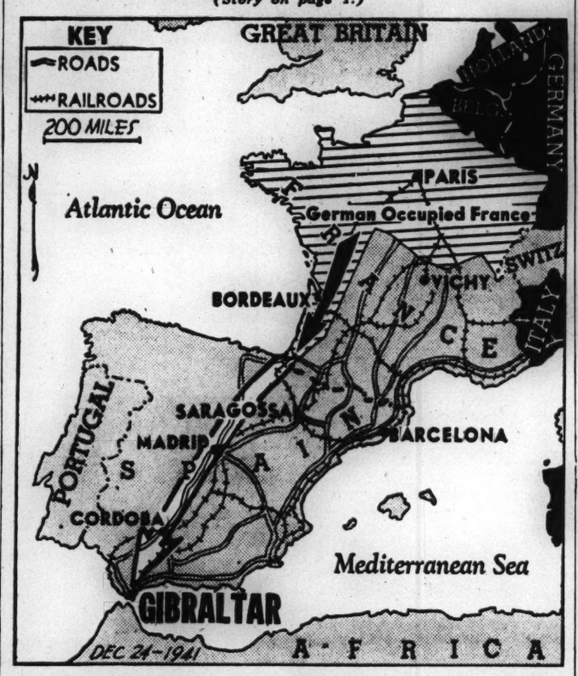
1,345 Miles from Manila.

Singapore is 1,345 miles by sea from Manila; 1,902 miles from Darwin, Australia; 1,135 miles from Rangoon, Burma; 805 miles from Bangkok, Thailand, and 1,440 miles from Hongkong. British strategists have considered defense of the Philippine Islands essential to Singapore's defense, believing that enemy occupation of the islands would constitute a flanking movement.

Up to 1939 the British had spent an estimated $80,000,000 in fortifying Singapore. Most of the money came directly from the government monopoly on opium sales in the Straits Settlements, and indirectly from the export duties on tin and rubber shipped to the United States from the Federated Malay States.

German Threat to Gibraltar

(Story on page 1.)



Arrow locates possible route of German force south thru occupied France to the Spanish frontier, from which an attack on Gibraltar and North Africa might be launched.

MEXICO TO BREAK OFF RELATIONS WITH THREE AXIS-ALLIED NATIONS

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23 (AP).—Mexico was reported today to be suspending naturalization of persons from axis countries, retroactive to Jan. 1, 1939, and has completed plans to sever diplomatic relations with three axis satellite states.

Mexico's break with one of these, Rumania, was particularly interesting, for this is the home in exile of the abdicated King Carol. The foreign ministry said Mexico was breaking with Rumania, Bulgaria, and Hungary because they declared war on the United States.

The Hungarian minister accredited to Mexico lives in Washington and will be advised of the break there by the Mexican ambassador to the United States. Bulgaria has no minister to Mexico and also will be informed in Washington.

Nearly 4,000 Contribute to Blood Bank for Hawaii

HONOLULU, T. H., Dec. 23 (AP).—Between 3,000 and 4,000 donors have contributed to a blood bank since Dec. 7, the day Japanese warplanes bombed Oahu island. Medical authorities hope to have 5,000 flasks accumulated within two months for use in transfusions.

JAPS ON WAKE ISLAND; MARINES' FATE IN DOUBT

BULLETIN.

LONDON, Dec. 24 [Wednesday] (AP).—Wake Island now is entirely in Japanese hands, Tokio claimed today in a broadcast heard by Reuters.

A Domei report said the Japanese forces landed on Wake Island during a storm Monday night and completed their occupation yesterday morning. An imperial headquarters announcement, it added, said the Japanese lost two destroyers during the landing operations.

BY HAL FOUST.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—A navy communique this afternoon announced that the Japanese effected a landing on Wake Island this morning. It was a laconic statement, barren of details of a combat that when all facts are known promises to become a classic episode in American arms.

The marines, just a detachment on this mid-Pacific atoll, have beaten back strong air and sea attacks since the orientals struck on Dec. 7. What is happening, with the Japs finally getting a foothold on the coral shores, wasn't mentioned in the communique. It read as follows:

"Wake Island sustained another strong air attack in the forenoon of the 22d. Several enemy planes were shot down. An enemy force effected a landing on Wake on the morning of the 23d."

Heavy Assaults Repulsed.

The leathernecks were giving a good account of themselves to the last—if it is indeed the last.

On the day following the treacherous attack of Dec. 7, a Tokio broadcast claimed capture of Wake, 2,600 equatorial acres 2,130 miles west of Hawaii. The next night President Roosevelt, in a broadcast, told the American people to prepare for an announcement of loss of Wake.

But the next day, Dec. 10, came news that the marines were still holding. They had repulsed five assaults from planes and warships, and their anti-aircraft guns were scoring while American planes sank a Japanese light cruiser and a destroyer.

And the leathernecks ever since, until this latest communique, have been living up to their recruiting slogans.

Capture Not Conceded.

The navy did not concede that Wake was lost and her defenders beaten. So the hope remained that the marines were still fighting on the few hundred acres of brush clad upland on the three isles which make up Wake Island, and that they still had a fighting chance to drive the invaders back into the sea.

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BATTLE NEW JAP INVASION ARMY SOUTH OF MANILA

Foe Lands from 40 Ships 75 Miles Away.

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were holding a line north of Damortis, 120 miles from Manila.

"Heavy fighting continues in the north, with the enemy exerting great pressure," said the morning communique from Gen. MacArthur's headquarters.

It failed to say whether the invaders, who were reported yesterday to be using light tanks in an attempt to fight their way southward, had been able to make any progress.

Planes Attack Many Points.

An army spokesman, however, said the Japanese air force was attacking at many points, apparently in an attempt to blast the American lines of communication.

He disclosed that in one assault Japanese bombers had damaged the steel bridge at Vilasis, 30 miles south of Damortis on the main highway to Manila, but said that the damage already was being repaired.

The bridge, longest in the Philippines, is the first reported hit by the Japanese in repeated bombing attacks on the many spans which dot the major Luzon highways.

47 Transports Reported Sunk.

How many Japanese troops actually had been able to get ashore Monday at Santo Tomas on the Gulf of Lingayen had not been determined. There were persistent reports without confirmation that 47 Japanese troop ships had beer sunk off the town of Lingayen itself.

Heavy casualties resulted yesterday when three Japanese planes bombed a center which had been reserved for persons evacuated from Manila and other towns. The planes apparently were aiming at the nearby gasoline stores of a private company.

The attack was the first affecting any of the numerous evacuation centers to which residents of crowded districts had been taken under Red Cross supervision.

Pilots Beat Off Landing.

Japanese air activity over the Lingayen gulf was heavy, but American counteraction likewise was strong, according to independent and unofficial accounts. Once American flyers were said to have beaten off an attempted Japanese landing supported by Japanese destroyers.

Twice during the day Manila had raid alarms but on neither occasion did the aerial invader reach the city.

On the southern island of Mindanao, Gen. MacArthur reported, the situation about the town of Davao remained obscure.

Force Filipinos to Work.

Press reports quoted refugees from Mindanao points as saying seven Japanese troopships were sunk in Davao harbor and that defense forces were taking a heavy toll of the Japanese who got ashore.

Travelers said the Japanese were forcing Filipinos into labor service at Albay, near Legaspi, for rebuilding railroad bridges and digging trenches. Alfredo Moreno, who came from Legaspi, said he was forced to help unload machine guns and munitions from a Japanese troopship for two days. He was paid in Japanese currency, but the Japanese took his watch, baggage, and money.

He said he saw about 5,000 Japanese soldiers at Legaspi and counted 300 Japanese in Naga, capital of Camarines Sur province. Chinese shops were being looted but stores of Filipinos were untouched he asserted.

Japs Claim New Landings.

BERLIN, Dec. 23 [Official broadcast Recorded by (AP)].—New Japanese troop landings were carried out early today at several points on the island of Luzon, Japanese imperial headquarters said today.

1,400 FIREMEN SHOWN HOW TO PUT OUT BOMBS

The extinguishing of incendiary bombs and other air raid precautions were demonstrated to 1,400 officers and men of the Chicago fire department in the Studebaker theater yesterday. Another group of 1,400 will receive the same instruction this morning.

The procedures were explained by Col. Paul Woodward of the army chemical warfare bureau and First Deputy Chief Fire Marshal Anthony J. Mullaney.

Films showing the technics were also exhibited as were bomb replicas made in fire department laboratories.

Twenty volunteer workers were given a lecture on air raid precautions at the coördinating office of the defense commission, 23 North Wacker drive. Albert Lepawsky of the University of Chicago exhibited films brought from Britain, which showed how air raid wardens and other civilian defense organizations function there under fire. The volunteer workers will instruct groups thruout the city.

Leader of Manila Radical Party Indicted as Pro-Jap

MANILA, Dec. 23 (AP).—An indictment charging violation of the espionage act was returned today against Andres Villaran Y. Pasay, president of the Sampaloc chapter of the radical Ganap party. The prosecution charged him with pro-Japanese activity and making remarks tending to foment insubordination and disloyalty. Bail was fixed at $10,000.

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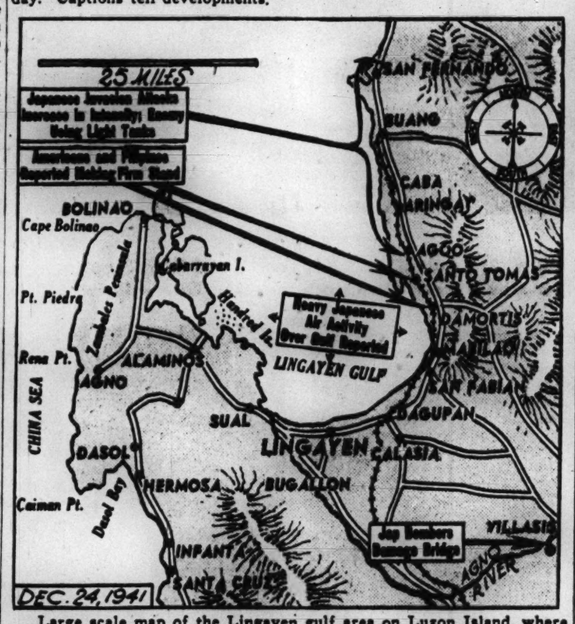
Action in Philippine Islands

(Story starts on page 1.)

Luzon Island in the Philippines, where American and Philippine soldiers were threatened by Jap invasion from both east and west yesterday. Captions tell developments.



Large scale map of the Lingayen gulf area on Luzon Island, where Japanese first landed large force of invaders and where heavy engagements were reported in progress yesterday. Captions tell developments.

IF JAPS CAPTURE QUEZON, IT WON'T MEAN PRESIDENT

Islands Named for Politicians.

BY VICENTE A. PACIS.

MANILA, Dec. 23.—If the Tokio communiques claim the capture of Quezon, Osmena, Murphy, or Vargas, in the next few days, do not jump at the conclusion that it is the beginning of the end for the United States army of the far east.

The Japanese are likely to claim the capture of these, but it will not mean that the president and vice president of the Philippines, Justice Frank Murphy, or President Manuel Quezon's secretary, Jorge Vargas, have fallen into the hands of the enemy.

In the southern part of the Lingayen gulf where the Japanese operations are concentrated is located the Hundred Islands, a popular bathing resort. The provincial authorities on the Pangasinan publicity staff named about 30 of the islands after political leaders. They even included a choice national joke, since Vargas Island is within shouting distance of Quezon, referring to the propensity of President Quezon to shout at his subordinates.

Japs Veer Their Attack.

The invaders may regale Tokio with a claim of the capture of the islets, which would be easier than winning the gulf area, their objective.

Having failed to land on the shores of the gulf of Lingayen proper, the Japanese apparently veered their attack yesterday and landed along the coast in the southern half of La Union and from San Ferdando to Agoo, pushing southward from there.

The left flank of the American defenders is on the sea, while the right flank is in the foothills of the greatest Philippine mountain range, the Cordellera.

Bomb Towns Behind Lines.

Narciso Ramos, member of the national assembly from Pangasinan, told the Tribune correspondent in a long distance telephone call today that the enemy was heavily bombing towns behind the line, including San Fabian and Dagupan. He said no operations were observable from Dagupan gulf, but that beyond the horizon gun flashes were visible.

Ramos said the Japanese are attempting to outflank the Damortis-Rosario line by climbing the mountains. The danger of outflanking by sea apparently has passed for the time being. Ramos expressed his complete faith in the ground forces.

Refugees from the north brought reports that the Japanese have occupied the coastal towns of Southern Ilocos down to Tagudin, plus the southern half of La Union. The rest of the coast region, except the Aparri region in Cagayan, is under control of the American forces.

HOUSE ENCOURAGES PHILIPPINE TROOPS WITH YULE MESSAGE

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 [Special].—The house today sent a message of appreciation and encouragement to General Douglas MacArthur and those of his commands who have withstood the Japanese assaults in the Pacific. Proposal that a Christmas message be sent was made by Representative John E. Rankin [D., Miss.] as the house met briefly.

He suggested this message:

"Accept our heartiest congratulations on the magnificent fight you are making, and be assured that the congress and the people of the entire nation are whole-heartedly behind you.

"We are proud of the glorious struggle you are waging against the enemies not only of our country but the enemies of our Christian civilization. God give you victory."

FILIPINOS HERE PLAN TRIBUTE TO NATIVE HERO

Chicago Filipinos will meet Sunday in Hotel Sherman to observe the 45th anniversary of the execution of the Philippine national hero, Dr. Jose Mercado Rizal. Miss Pacita Lorenzana, 16 years old, a student in Roosevelt High school, will preside at the celebration.

Speakers will be Florencio Madariaga, president of the Filipino Association of Chicago; Jose Costales, president of the United Pangasinan of Chicago, and Dr. Francisco M. Duerme, general director of the Filipino Community house. The observance will be held in conjunction with a dinner and ball. An attendance of 6,000 is expected.

Dr. Rizal was executed by Spain Dec. 30, 1896, for his campaign against Spanish misrule. A $50,000 memorial, erected by the United States, stands in Manila.

Uruguay Starts Fund to Send 50 Aviators to U. S.

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Dec. 23 (AP).—A subscription was launched today to equip and send 50 Uruguayan airmen to serve in the United States air forces. Uruguayan cattle raisers have begun a fund raising drive to buy an ambulance as a gift for the United States army.

Australia to Go on Daylight Saving Time in New Year

CANBERRA, Australia, Dec. 23 (AP).—Australia will go on daylight saving time Jan. 1, making the eastern Australian time zone 15 hours ahead of Chicago time.

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DEFENDERS FIGHT AGAINST HEAVY ODDS IN LUZON

May Be Outnumbered by Japs, Is View.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—With the Japanese invaders pouring ashore in Luzon under cover of bombing and fighting planes, Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces are fighting against odds to defend the Philippines, in the view of competent authorities here.

Heavy casualties and initial losses of important territory en route to Manila were considered inevitable. High hopes were retained, nevertheless, that the first thrusts would be foiled.

The Japanese expedition attempting to seize the Lingayen gulf coast line, estimated by the war department to number 100,000 or more troops, may be larger than the defense force, authorities said.

The new Japanese landing in force at Atimonan lengthens the odds. This landing southeastward from Manila, could form the lower prong of a pincers movement against the capital and the nearby naval base of Cavite, in conjunction with the invasion from Lingayen to the northwest. Or, at the least, it would constitute a diversion attack in an effort to draw away some of MacArthur's forces from the northern front.

Veterans Facing New Men.

The Japanese are veterans of years of war. Both American and Filipino troops are largely untried, the latter only partially trained. They have been officially commended, however, for "behaving well."

The reported main invasion fleet of 80 troop ships has been able for two days to put men ashore in barges with relative impunity. Meanwhile Japanese naval command of the China seas and the western Pacific serves to deny to the defenders any reënforcements except by air.

Japanese ability to fly short range pursuit planes from Formosa, only 220 miles north of Luzon; from carriers off shore and from fields on Luzon soil was believed responsible for their initial successes.

Expert observers said it was obvious that if Gen. MacArthur was fully able to safeguard the Philippine air fields, his bombers might make it suicidal to mass any invasion fleet.

Transports Are Vulnerable.

Some considerations favorable to the defense were thus authoritatively listed:

The Japanese, with their forces spread over thousands of miles, are limited in the strength they can bring to bear at any one point.

Transports and ships to keep up a line of supply for overseas expeditionary forces are vulnerable to submarines and bombers. American and allied submarines have yet to be heard from.

Japanese aerial resources, tho overwhelming at the outset, are limited.

American and Philippine forces were fast being reënforced when the test of war came and their weapons include tanks and other modern products.

A definite defense advantage is complete familiarity with terrain and perfection of plans to cope with just such an invasion as is now in progress.

An Enemy Wing Gets Clipped

[Associated Press Wirephoto.]

This wing from a Japanese bomber which was shot down in the surprise attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, rests on the grounds of the naval hospital at Honolulu, according to the navy department.

3 BIG JAPANESE TRANSPORTS SUNK BY A DUTCH SUB

Vessels Destroyed Off Coast of Borneo.

BATAVIA, Netherlands East Indies, Dec. 23 (AP).—Three big Japanese transports and a tanker have been sunk west of Borneo by a Netherlands submarine, the commander of the Netherlands navy was informed tonight.

[A British broadcast received in New York on Sunday night quoted Batavia sources as saying Dutch naval forces had sunk two Japanese transports off Borneo and that a Dutch torpedo plane had sunk a third, bringing destruction of Japanese troop or supply ships by American and Dutch forces to a total of 13. These were not confirmed by Batavia. If the newest announcement is additional it brings the total to 17.]

Japanese air raids on a Dutch airdrome on one of the outlying islands of the Netherlands East Indies were reported. An enemy bombing attack on Sorong, on the west coast of New Guinea, was beaten back by Dutch aircraft.

Official informants in Batavia estimated that 500 civilian casualties had been caused thus far in Japanese raids on Netherlands Indies cities and villages.

Air Battle Over Rangoon.

RANGOON, Burma, Dec. 23 (AP).—Nine Japanese bombers and one fighter were destroyed and several others seriously damaged in an air battle this morning over Rangoon, a communique said. Three British fighters were lost.

Japan's Version of Raid.

TOKIO, Dec. 23 [Official broadcast recorded by Associated Press].—Japanese planes made a mass raid on Rangoon this afternoon, bombing the airdrome, hangars, wharves, railway station, government offices, and barracks, it was announced here today.

Several British combat planes were reported shot down and a number of planes destroyed on the ground.

The Japanese planes all "returned unscathed after witnessing the destruction of part of the city," the announcement said.

No Change in Malaya.

SINGAPORE, Dec. 23 (AP).—The British command today reported that the Malayan situation was unchanged in the jungles 330 miles above Singapore.

Two Japanese planes were declared to have been shot down in the Kuala Lumpur region and two others badly damaged. The RAF also attacked Sungei Patani airdrome in southern Thailand.

Diversion of planes and other war equipment to Russia and Libya were the reasons why the Japanese have been able to penetrate deep into northern Malaya, Air Chief Marshal Sir Robert Brooke-Popham, British far eastern commander, said.

"We've lost a large part of northern Malaya, but for a time only," he told leaders of the British, Chinese, Malayan, and Indian communities.

"Every effort is being made elsewhere to provide us with the help of which we now stand in need."

Australia Disappointed.

CANBERRA, Australia, Dec. 23 (AP).—Members of Australia's advisory war council, at a meeting to discuss the Pacific situation today, expressed disappointment over indications that British air strength in Malaya had proved inadequate to meet the Japanese invasion.

The council members said that they believed the air power of Japan had been seriously underestimated and that they wondered how Alfred Duff Cooper, British minister in the far east, could have allowed himself to be misled. During a recent visit to Australia, the minister gave no inkling of the grave position in the far east, they said.

Manila's Jai Alai Palace Turned Into a Hospital

MANILA, Dec. 23 (AP).—Manila's most popular social center, the $1,000,000 Jai Alai palace, devoted to the Spanish game of that name, has been turned into surgical operating rooms to receive the wounded.

ARMY DECORATES 75 FLYERS FOR FLIGHT FROM U. S. TO MANILA

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Seventy-five men—the memory of one of them already enshrined in the history of the army—have been recommended for the distinguished flying cross in recognition of a trans-Pacific flight of great American bombers just three months before Japan struck at Hawaii.

One of the pilots on the flight—Sept. 5 to 12—was Captain Colin P. Kelly Jr., who knocked out the Japanese battleship Haruna in the first week of the war and lost his life.

Even as early as the first week of September, the war department announcement said, it was necessary to "avoid Japanese patrols." Because of them the bombers—the number undisclosed for military reasons—had to fly an "uncharted and circuitous route" into the south Pacific. The flight was commanded by 35-year-old Major Emmett O'Donnell Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Those from the midwest who received citations are: Maj. Gordon A. Blake, Charles City, Ia.; Lieutenants Donald R. Robbins, Detroit, Mich.; Donald M. Keiser, Hancock, Ohio, and Francis K. McAllister, West Lafayette, O.; Staff Sergt. John F. Clark, Remington, Ind.; Privates John A. Resl, Fort Wayne, Ind.; John L. Labreche, Carrollton, Mich., and Junior Brooks Franklin, Furnace, Ohio.

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Good Fellows of Chicago Start Annual Parade of Cheer and Good Will—Thousands of Homes Visited

The annual march of cheer of the Good Fellows of Chicago got under way yesterday when the first of 2,500 Christmas baskets were delivered to underprivileged homes. One delivery brought this study in rapture: A little girl and her first doll.
[TRIBUNE Photo.] *(Story on page 3.)*

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Eugene, 8; Bernice, 10; Matthew, 6; Stanley, 15; Frances, 12, and Celia, 3, members of a family that lives on South Sawyer avenue, looking things over after the arrival of a detachment of Good Fellows. *(Story on page 3.)*

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Sam, 10, of DeKalb street, examining gifts marked for him in basket delivered to his family. *(Story on page 3.)*

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Emily and Mary Lou, who live on South Halsted street, and gifts the Good Fellows brought them. *(Story on page 3.)*

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

A little girl named Jean just after Good Fellows called at her home on West 51st street. *(Story on page 3.)*

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Vernon, 1 year old, who lives on West 14th street, after the Good Fellows dropped in to see him. *(Story on page 3.)*

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Angeline and Lorraine, 4 year old twins who live on West 14th place, getting to the bottom of the Good Fellow basket which arrived at their little home yesterday. *(Story on page 3.)*

BRITISH STRIVE TO CLOSE TRAP ON AXIS IN LIBYA

Strike Foe Along Coast 300 Miles Inside Country.

(Picture and map on back page.)

CAIRO, Egypt, Dec. 23 (AP).—British tanks deployed tonight along the coastal plain of the Gulf of Sirte, on the axis line of retreat more than 300 miles inside Libya, and the odds mounted hourly against the battered forces of Nazi Gen. Erwin Rommel reaching their Tripolitanian bases.

The forward imperial units, which have been astride of the coastal road at some points along the gulf, and the troops now effecting a link across the plain were expected to stop any axis attempt to leave the highway and to escape by desert trails.

A headquarters communique said: "Thruout yesterday the pressure upon the enemy holdings covering Bengazi was steadily increased by the arrival of reënforcements, while our mobile columns had reached the coastal plain of the Gulf of Sirte south of Bengazi.

Material Litters Countryside.

"It is now reported that along the whole line of the enemy's retreat west of Mekili the countryside is littered with abandoned materials.

"Many Germans and Italians have been overtaken by our pursuing troops. . . .

"During the night of Dec. 21-22, one of our mobile columns carried out a daring raid on an advanced enemy landing ground at Agedabia, destroying no less than 37 aircraft on the ground."

This was more proof of how far the British advanced striking columns were operating in front of the retreating German main forces. Agedabia is 80 miles south of Bengazi, where Rommel may have to make a stand because his retreat south and west is being cut off.

Previously, another British armored column penetrated 150 miles inside Tripolitania, swooping down on a new air field and grinding up 24 planes.

Nearing Main Axis Bases.

Thus the scope of the British drive soon may bring the 8th army within effective striking distance of the main axis bases in Tripolitania.

Approximately 650 enemy planes have been reported destroyed since the British advance began in November.

Seventy-four planes and six gliders have been captured at Derna airdrome, the royal air force said today.

Despite bad weather, the RAF raided Tripoli, set off violent explosions and fires in the motor transport dispersal area of the city, and attacked retreating motor columns west of Agedabia and the few remaining axis airports. A successful attack was reported on a line of 100 troop carrying trucks

AXIS' ACCOUNT OF WAR.

The Italian high command yesterday admitted British artillery was subjecting axis positions at Sollum and Bardia, in the Libyan-Egyptian frontier area, to "a steadily increasing bombardment," but declared the military situation farther west was unchanged. German flyers bombed British troops at Tobruk and Derna, while axis squadrons attacked the British Mediterranean base of Malta, a Rome war bulletin said.

ROBBERS GRAB 50 GIFTS FROM DELIVERY TRUCK

Fifty Christmas presents being delivered for loop stores were seized by bandits last night.

Dan Smogalski, driver for the Consolidated Delivery company, and his helper, William Weber, were making deliveries in the 1300 block of Columbia avenue when two gunmen climbed aboard the truck. One took the wheel, the other forced the delivery men into the rear.

The bandit then sped thru alleys while one tossed out packages which were picked up by two men following in a sedan. In an alley in the 6400 block of North Leavitt street, the bandits pried loose a 150 pound safe used for cash collections, loaded it into the sedan, and fled with the men riding in it. The safe, the truck crew reported, was empty. The value of the stolen presents was unknown.

WELLES NAMED U. S. ENVOY TO RIO DEFENSE PARLEY

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—The United States will be represented by Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles at the conference of the 21 American republics, to be convened next month at Rio de Janeiro, it was announced today.

The conference, called to discuss the hemispheric defense program, was proposed by this country after the outbreak of war with Japan, under provisions of the Havana conference calling for consultation of the republics in the event of aggression.

Army Bomber Crashes Into House Near Tucson

Tucson, Ariz., Dec. 23 (AP).—A four motored army bombing plane crashed into a house north of Tucson tonight, the Pima county sheriff's office reported. An early report said there were 13 or 14 men in the plane, but that only three were hospitalized for injuries. Col. James S. Albro, commander of Davis-Monthan army air field, said all he knew was that there had been a forced landing.

Italian General, Injured in Libya, Dies; 7th Chief Lost

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 23 (AP).—Gen. Giulio Borsarelli di Refreddo, commander of the Italian Trento division, died in a Naples hospital of wounds received in battle in Libya, an official announcement in Rome said today. He was Italy's seventh general to be killed in the war.

A British Motorized Column on the Move Across Libyan Desert

(Story in adjoining column.)

[Associated Press Wirephoto.]

According to British sources this picture shows a British motorized column moving along the desert during a battle on the Libyan front.

BRITISH SMASH 6 SHIPS TAKING AID TO AXIS IN AFRICA

Total of 53 Blasted in Libyan Campaign.

LONDON, Dec. 23 (AP).—Six axis ships—transports, supply craft, and possibly one armed merchant cruiser—have been smashed by submarines of the British Mediterranean fleet blockading the crumbling axis armies in Africa, the admiralty announced tonight.

This meant that since the British 8th army began its advance into the desert on Nov. 18 the navy and royal air force have sunk or damaged 53 axis supply ships or transports in the Mediterranean. The navy has sunk or damaged 25 such vessels, in addition to four cruisers, two destroyers and three submarines. The RAF has accounted for 28 supply ships.

At least two convoys were riddled by the latest undersea assault on what appeared to be an 11th hour attempt by the enem, to break thru to Libya with reinforcements and supplies for a last axis stand in Tripolitania.

Ships Heard Breaking Up.

The admiralty told how crews of one submarine which just had sprayed torpedoes that blasted two big supply ships or transports in a convoy, "heard further explosions and the noise of the ships breaking up as they sank."

These were the craft destroyed:

1. A large supply ship, already seriously damaged by a torpedo, which had been beached, presumably on the African coast. The crew was trying to salvage something of the vessel when a British submarine slipped close to shore and let fly another torpedo, which blew up the ship.

2 and 3. Another submarine assaulted an enemy convoy "consisting of two large supply ships or transports with destroyer escort. Both large ships were sunk."

Hit Big Ship in Convoy.

4. "One large ship out of another convoy which was escorted by a cruiser and destroyers was hit by a torpedo. The explosion was followed by a second much heavier explosion.'

5. "Another of our submarines torpedoed a large tanker. It is considered that this ship also was sunk."

6. A medium sized ship, which "may have been an armed merchant cruiser," was torpedoed and set afire. When last seen she was listing ominously.

MRS. LAIRD GETS DIVORCE FROM FORMER CHIEF

Judge Rudolph Desort yesterday granted Mrs. Sylvia Laird, 34 years old, 4819 Cortez street, a divorce on the ground of desertion from Lester J. Laird, 41, former chief of the Cook county highway police.

Laird, who is being sought by deputies ordered to bring him before the grand jury for questioning on the activities of the Guzik gambling syndicate, is believed to be in Florida.

In the divorce bill filed by Attorney Benjamin H. Ehrlich on Dec. 16, Mrs. Laird asserted that her husband was a man of great wealth, and she obtained an injunction tying up his assets. Ehrlich and Harry Pritzker, counsel for Laird, told the court yesterday that Laird had given Mrs. Laird a cash settlement out of court. Judge Desort, at the attorneys' request, dissolved the injunction.

The Lairds were married Nov. 26, 1937. Mrs. Laird charged that Laird deserted her May 7, 1939.

PORTUGUESE GIVE VENT TO FEELINGS AGAINST BRITISH

LISBON, Portugal, Dec. 23 (AP).—Anti-British feelings among the Portugese people were demonstrated yesterday when several motion picture theaters in Lisbon were forced to halt the projection of views of Sydney, Australia, because of roaring protests and demonstrations in the audiences.

This was at variance with the press, which displayed a favorable tone toward Great Britain despite the seizure of Portugese Timor island by British, Australian, and Dutch East Indies troops. Winston Churchill in newsreels had often been cheered despite the government ban against demonstration in the theaters.

Another of numerous contingents of troops sailed from Lisbon today to reinforce the Azores.

60 'Communists' Executed in One Jugo-Slav Village

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 23.—Sixty "communists," including six women, have been executed in the Jugo-Slav village of Donjidubac. Two communist leaders, one of them a woman, have been shot in the vicinity of Cacak. One hundred fifty others were arrested and brought before a tribunal in the same region, but no details are given as to what was their fate.

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(Story in adjoining column.)

[Associated Press Wirephoto.]

Brig. J. K. Lawson, commander of the Canadian force in Hongkong. The Canadian defense headquarters at Ottawa said yesterday that he is believed to have been killed in action.

HITLER WILL BEAT RUSSIANS IN 1942, SAYS RIBBENTROP

BERLIN, Dec. 23 [Official Broadcast Recorded by Associated Press].—Foreign Minister Joachim von Ribbentrop, in an interview with the Berlin correspondent of the Spanish news agency EFE, said today rumors of German peace feelers in Moscow were "foolish talk," and declared the ending of the war in Russia would be one of the main tasks of the German army in 1942.

Asserting that Hitler would personally conduct the campaign, Von Ribbentrop said the "war in Russia can only be ended when not only every threat but everything seriously disquieting to Europe from the east is eliminated."

Denying that collaboration between Germany, Italy, and Japan had been long planned, Von Ribbentrop declared: "Soon after the assumption of power by national socialism German policy was decisively influenced by an irreconcilable opposition to bolshevism. I therefore, at the wish of the Fuehrer, made first contact with Tokio in 1933, where I met with understanding for union of all order loving nations."

RULES CHANGED, RESULT IS JAM ON OUTER DRIVE

Reasons for the great traffic jam on the new Outer drive, which made thousands of motorists late getting home Monday evening, were outlined yesterday by Otto Jelinek, traffic engineer for the Chicago park district. Police said traffic flowed more freely last evening.

Jelinek said the traffic regulations in effect up to this week required motorists leaving the drive to turn left into temporary "pull-off" roads. With the opening of the permanent turnoffs the drivers should have turned right and passed under the Outer drive's viaducts—a system long in vogue at North avenue.

Not aware of the change, hundreds of drivers clung to the left side of the drive and realized the necessity of crossing over only at the turning points. It was their attempted mass crossing at these places that made the holdup, Jelinek said.

SHELL SPLINTERS KILL U. S. WOMAN IN HONGKONG WAR

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Addison L. Southard, the American consul general at Hongkong, today reported to the state department that Miss Florence Webb, a United States citizen, was killed there Dec. 14 by shell splinters.

State department records show Miss Webb was born in Shanghai June 15, 1908.

Previously, in a message dated Dec. 19 but received by the state department only this morning, the consul general reported that none of the members of the staff of the consulate had been injured.

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HONGKONG ARMY HURLS BACK JAPS AT ISLAND PEAK

Last Ditch Stand Costs Invaders Heavily.

(Map on back page.)

LONDON, Dec. 23 (AP).—Desperate bands of British, Canadian, and Indian troops overwhelmed and threw back the Japanese at Mount Cameron, near the center of Hongkong Island, and still held positions on Victoria Peak to the west, an official Hongkong dispatch said tonight.

"Fighting continues along last night's line with undiminished intensity," a communique said earlier.

"There has been a light enemy penetration in the central sector in the direction of Mount Cameron, but this penetration has been contained by our troops since early this morning. [The word contained might mean that the enemy troops had been halted or surrendered.]

Admit Situation Critical.

Other official dispatches said the last ditch stand of the imperial soldiers was costing the Japanese heavily in their fourth full day of fighting.

But the hopelessly outnumbered defenders also were losing heavily, and their situation was acknowledged to be critical.

An announcement at Ottawa, Ont., said the Canadian commander, Brig. J. K. Lawson, was believed to have been killed, as was his senior staff officer, Col. Patrick Hennessy.

The Japanese hurled fresh forces against the British, and blasted their positions with heavy explosives.

A Domei news agency from Tokio earlier had declared that the Japanese overpowered the Mount Cameron defenders last night, capturing 1,119 prisoners. British resistance was collapsing, the agency asserted.

Defenders Hold Seven Forts.

But the Berlin radio quoted a Japanese army spokesman as saying that the defenders still held seven forts, and that fierce fighting raged on the fields of the "Happy Valley" recreation area east of Victoria City.

The Berlin radio also broadcast a Japanese announcement that the Japanese air force carried out air attacks on fortified positions in the eastern part of Hongkong for 12 hours.

"Great destructon of enemy [British] positions could be observed," said the announcement. "Japanese pressure on Victoria and south of the town continues."

[Mount Cameron is a 1,430 foot peak near the center of the 32 square mile island. Victoria peak, several miles to the west, is 1,770 feet high overlooking Victoria City opposite the Japanese occupied mainland.]

Canadians Counterattack.

The Royal Rifles of Canada, whose regimental motto is "Willing and Able," are participating in the heroic stand, and Canadian troops even counterattacked at some points.

These attacks ripped additional holes in the invaders' man power.

A dispatch from Singapore reported that the Hongkong garrison even gained "a local success in the south of the island."

Chinese guerrillas were attacking the Japanese at points from 14 to 40 miles from the besieged garrison, but the British said only a major offensive would relieve their trapped troops.

14 SEWING MACHINES STOLEN

Fourteen portable sewing machines were taken by burglars early yesterday from the loading platform of the Chicago-Rockford Motor Express company, 1539 West 32d place. The theft was reported by Harold Kimball of 3437 North Marshfield avenue, terminal manager.

CONTRACTS AWARDED FOR 30 MILLION CANS OF RATIONS FOR army

Contracts for 30 million cans of field rations, of which a large share probably will be shipped to the Philippines and other far eastern stations for emergency use in combat, have been awarded by the army quartermaster depot in Chicago, it was announced yesterday.

Brig. Gen. Joseph E. Barzynski, commander of the depot, said the contracts, which total $3,212,000, were awarded to 21 companies, 10 of which are Chicago concerns. Delivery of the rations, the largest single purchase ever made by the depot, is to be made by Jan. 21.

The canned foods called for under the contracts are the "Type C" emergency rations developed in 1939 by the subsistence research laboratory at the Chicago depot, and revised as a result of use in army maneuvers this year.

WILLSON SHIFTED FROM ANNAPOLIS TO KING'S STAFF

Academy Head Won Honors in 1917.

Annapolis, Md., Dec. 23 (AP).—Rear Adm. Russell Willson, Naval Academy superintendent, was ordered to duty today as chief of staff to Adm. Ernest J. King, commander in chief of the United States fleet.

Adm. Willson.

Academy officials said Adm. Willson would assume his new duties about Jan. 1. Willson succeeded Rear Adm. Wilson Brown as Naval academy superintendent last February.

The new chief of staff to Adm. King served as superintendent here during the expansion of the academy and the shortening of the academy course, necessitated by the approach of the war.

King Serves at Academy.

Adm. Willson, born at Fredonia, N. Y., Dec. 27, 1888, attended school at Washington, D. C., and studied at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology before he was appointed to the academy. He was graduated in 1906.

Capt. T. Starr King, director of physical training at the naval academy, will be acting superintendent until Willson's successor is named, the navy department said at Washington.

During the World war, he organized and developed the code signal section in the navy department and received the Navy cross and substantial compensation thru a special congressional act for this work.

Attaché in London.

After completing a course at the Naval War college in 1924, he commanded destroyers stationed at Greenland and Labrador in connection with the army's around the world flight.

During 1937 and 1938, Willson served as naval attaché at the American embassy in London.

Adm. Willson has three children, Ensign Russell Willson Jr., U. S. N., Mrs. R. H. Rice of Washington, and Mrs. Thomas Cunningham, both wives of naval officers.

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SHE TELLS THIEF: YOU CAN'T DO IT, AND HE DOESN'T!

A young man walked into the food store at 1108 Leland avenue last night, hand in pocket, and informed the clerk, Mrs. Edna Ginsburg, 21 years old, that he was a holdup man. He commanded her to hand over the money from the cash drawer.

Mrs. Ginsburg regarded him coldly and said, "I'm not giving you anything."

"But you gotta," the robber said, startled. "They're waiting outside for the money."

Mrs. Ginsburg repeated her refusal and the bandit, almost pleadingly, repeated that "they" were waiting for it.

Just then Miss Myrtle Polson, daughter of the store owner, came out of the back room. The bandit regarded both women uneasily and hurried out, empty handed.

BEG YOUR PARDON

In last Sunday's TRIBUNE it was stated that Harold Trossman, 1660 Hyde Park boulevard, had claimed dependency deferment in the draft because of his mother and brother. He claimed occupational deferment. The appeal was denied.

UNION EXECUTIVE REPORTED NAMED BY GRAND JURORS

The Kane county grand jury at Aurora was reported yesterday to have voted a true bill charging Jack Lincoln, business agent for the Aurora Clerks' and Waiters' union [AFL], with malicious mischief. Lincoln is accused of having thrown a rock thru a window of the Walgreen drug store at Broadway and Main street in the suburb on Dec. 3.

Lincoln and 27 others already are facing charges of unlawful assembly as a result of picketing in which they are accused of having interfered with customers on Dec. 6.

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HERE, MOLE, MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU!
THANKS, MR. TRACY!
CIGARETTES - FRUIT - CANDY! THIS IS THE FIRST TIME IN THIRTY YEARS - UH-WHAT'S THAT?
OH COME, ALL YE FAITHFUL
WELL, THAT TAKES CARE OF EVERYONE!
IT LOOKS LIKE A BIG CHRISTMAS EVE WITH DINNER AT MY PLACE, TESS, SHALL WE GO?
MERRY CHRISTMAS TO EVERYBODY!

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"Our Country! In her intercourse with foreign nations may she always be in the right; but our country, right or wrong."
—Stephen Decatur.

MEETING IN WASHINGTON.

A certain amount of theatricality is inescapable in such a conference as is taking place in Washington between Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill. When the responsible heads of two great nations meet, there must always be a good deal of gold braid in the background, an air of excitement about the conference rooms and in the embassies, some mysterious comings and goings, and a vast amount of gossip in the drawing rooms. All of that is to be expected.

It is to be hoped, however, that this conference will not be so largely given over to theatricality as was the last one held aboard ships of war "somewhere in the Atlantic" last August. From that conference came little except theatricality. The event was planned as Hollywood plans a supercolossal production.

A different spirit may well animate this meeting. Mr. Roosevelt comes to it, as Mr. Churchill came to the last one, chastened by experience. Mr. Churchill has seen his forces routed in Norway and at Dunkirk, in Greece and at Crete. He can now point with some pride to the improved situation in the North Atlantic and in Libya but except as Mr. Roosevelt can claim some of the credit for the safeguarding of the sea lanes to Britain he has only misfortunes to show.

We suffered a severe reverse at Pearl Harbor as the result of overconfidence, carelessness, and stubborn unwillingness to learn and the responsibility for the defeat lies as much in Washington as in Hawaii. Because of our losses, American naval forces are not now undertaking to recapture Guam or to relieve Hongkong, the outlook for the Philippines and Singapore is none too bright, and enemy submarines are operating off California.

Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. Churchill may well feel chastened by events. Mr. Churchill can recall that Alcibiades led Athens to disaster in Sicily and Mr. Roosevelt can recall that Agesilaus led Sparta to its doom in Thebes. Such things have happened in the past and they can happen again if our leaders, like those ancients, are lacking in military foresight and yield to impulse.

The outlook, tho grave, is far from hopeless. Germany has suffered severe reverses in Russia and Hitler has been sufficiently disturbed by the event to dismiss Von Brauchitsch, his generalissimo. Potentially, and in some respects actually, our strength in man power, industrial resources, and raw materials far exceeds that of our enemies. We can win this war if we bring to it intelligence, prudence, and military skill of a high order.

The careers of both Churchill and Roosevelt are studded with evidence of recklessness. It is to be hoped that by this time the leaders of our two countries have chosen discreet and competent military advisers and are in a mood to accept their guidance. We can afford no more errors of judgment, no more disposition of our forces by amateur strategists. We have already paid a high price for recklessness. Both countries are eager for assurances that the military command will be intrusted to men of experience and competence in warfare.

ALIMONY ROW.

The divorce courts are going thru the annual farce of releasing prisoners held in alimony row. It is doubtful whether even the Christmas spirit can bring much cheer to these victims of the medieval practice of imprisonment for debt.

An inquiry the other day disclosed that a large proportion of the prisoners are not even held for failure to pay alimony, but instead for failure to pay to their wives' or ex-wives' lawyers the fees obtained on court order. When the threat of imprisonment is used to collect a fee, the matter becomes one that should be investigated by the bar association.

The law provides other and less barbarous methods of punishing men who fail to support their wives and children. Nonsupport is a criminal offense, but the culprit receives the same protection that he would receive if charged with any other crime. Judges and juries will not hesitate to inflict proper penalties on those who stubbornly evade their obligations to dependents.

The courts disgrace themselves when they lend themselves to the passion of vindictive wives or the avarice of fee-hungry lawyers. Imprisonment for nonpayment of alimony should be forbidden by law, but until the statute is amended there is no reason why the judges cannot hold in abeyance their power to sentence for contempt in such cases.

OF MILITARY AGE.

Crown Prince Olav of Norway has arrived in Washington for the holidays. He will spend the next two months visiting with Crown Princess Martha, who has been living there for a year, and inspecting Norwegian air cadets in training in Canada. He has come from London, where he has been established with the Norwegian government in exile since the Nazi invasion of Norway in April, 1940. During the flight with his father, King Haakon, he was under German fire. He has not been close to action since. He is 38 years old and, to all appearances, fit and strong. Why isn't he serving with the armed forces and helping to liberate his country? Figureheads come cheap these days. Most of them want to get back their old position and privileges, but few of them are willing to do much to achieve that end.

AN INVESTMENT FOR DAVY JONES.

R. J. Thomas, president of the United Auto Workers, has pledged that the members of the union will buy 50 million dollars worth of defense bonds "to replace the battleship Arizona," sunk at Pearl Harbor. The desire to help finance the nation's war effort is laudable. The manner in which Mr. Thomas would have the money used is unwise.

In the first week's fighting in the Pacific one American battleship was sunk and another capsized, one Japanese battleship was sunk and a second seriously damaged, and a British battleship and battle cruiser were sunk. The battleship has had its day. Supremacy now rides with air power. The money of Mr. Thomas' union will be better employed building planes and aircraft carriers.

TAX REFORM IS A DEFENSE JOB.

The tax reform program at the last session of the legislature was a pretty sorry thing. The bills were unnecessarily complicated, covered almost every imaginable subject in the field of revenue collection and administration, were not submitted to the legislature until it was rushing to finish its work and, as events developed, had no organized political support. So none of them passed.

At a special session the legislature can act only on those matters included in its call, and tax legislation was not one of the subjects included in the call for the present session. There are insistent demands, however, for a second and concurrent special session, and it seems probable that they will be met. If so, the call should provide for tax collection bills. Nothing over which the legislature has any control is more important to national defense than the health of local governments in this state.

The tax collection problem is too big and complicated to be cured in a single attack. That was one of the lessons of the fiasco at the regular session. A good point of attack is to prevent the situation from getting any worse, by building a fence against any more real estate becoming delinquent on its taxes. When that line is established and held it will be time to go back and clean up the rest of the mess.

A start, not too promising, has been made toward cleaning up delinquent real estate taxes by the forfeiture foreclosure process. The defect in the system is that on badly encumbered properties the difficulty and delay in getting title and possession thru a bid at a foreclosure sale are such that any one but the equity owner is in practice prevented from bidding. Artificial safeguards have therefore been necessary to prevent such actions degenerating into a method of compromising unpaid taxes.

These defects disappear if foreclosure is started as soon as legally possible, which is as soon as two years' taxes have been offered for sale and forfeited to the county. There is no property in the county, except that already deep in delinquency, which is not worth two years' taxes. Forfeiture foreclosure under those circumstances would mean a genuinely free sale at which the equity owner or mortgage holder would either have to pay the full amount of the taxes and penalties or lose the property.

One of the bills on which the legislature failed to act would have made it mandatory on county officers to institute forfeiture foreclosure actions, starting with the properties longest delinquent. If passed, that might not have been workable because of the volume of work involved. But it is possible for county officials to start forfeiture foreclosures against all properties that are now two years delinquent, and no more. A statute making such actions mandatory would stop further tax delinquencies, no small gain in the fight on delinquency.

Personal property, rather than real estate, is the source of most of the tax delinquency in Chicago. What is most needed in this field is not new laws, but administrative reforms, starting with assessments and carrying thru the collecting offices and the courts.

THE EMPLOYER GETS BACK HIS TONGUE.

The United States Supreme court has decided that an employer is not debarred by the Wagner act from speaking his mind freely on labor issues. It is four years since the court upheld the constitutionality of the Wagner act and during all this time an employer was compelled to keep silent about union practices or be accounted guilty of an unfair labor practice.

The national labor relations act guaranteed workers the right to organize for purposes of collective bargaining. That is a right to which they should be entitled. The assumption that the act could void a constitutional guarantee to all citizens by arbitrarily placing a gag upon employers was never defensible. A basic constitutional right will always command priority over a mere legislative provision.

The court may now turn its attention to those interpretations of the Wagner act which, by permitting unions to force membership upon unwilling workers, abridge specific immunities granted by the 13th and 14th amendments.

Editorial of the Day

FOR A NEW MODEL BATHTUB.
[St. Louis Globe-Democrat.]

The bathtub was a great invention, which makes it the more surprising there have been so few great innovations in its architecture. Improvements, yes; but the '41 bathtub is very like the '40 bathtub, the '40 tub—despite streamlined fenders, close-to-the-ground design, and a neater dashboard—is pragmatically similar to the dear old 1910 suds holder. Which is the why of widespread interest in a chemical industry announcement that plastics may be used for bathtubs after the war, an if and when and distant but truly radical step in an evolution dating back to when man stood out in the rain to take his shower.

If things must change and they are going to make 1950 bathtubs of plastic, we beg leave to offer a few other suggestions. The new model should be of a cushioned plastic which will give when struck by head or kneecap. Coloring matter should be inserted in the tub walls to turn red if the water is too hot, blue if too cold. Then the soap; we can't figure the how but something should be done to stop these "Dr. Livingstone, I presume" searches for the slippery stuff. A recording gadget over the tub to sing out "No" if the telephone is going to ring in the next 15 minutes. And something to keep the baby from splashing. O, yes, and the soap-in-the-eye problem.

Bathtub builders, that is all.

Our military observers are not allowed at the Russian front. The angel has backed the show with a cool billion, but he can't get a seat in the front row.—Omaha World-Herald.

Not even a picket line will delay the arrival of Santa Claus.—Indianapolis News.

It would be weird if Russia came out of this great struggle a democracy and had to put up with Red menaces.—Detroit News.

All is peace for the moment among the popular song writers, those talented fellows whose imitators died before they were born.—New Haven, Conn., Register.

A free press should be judged by the size of the office wastebaskets.—Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

A LINE O' TYPE OR TWO

How to the Line, let the quips fall where they may.

Reg. U. S. Pat. Office

CHRISTMAS IN PRINT.

The treatment of Christmas in literature is a subject that requires an encyclopedist. We mention the opportunity merely to avoid it. But it will recall to every one certain passages which are cherished memories of their reading, and if this season sends you back to them, so much the gladder will it be.

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For copious jollity and humor, we chose the chapter in "The Posthumous Papers of the Pickwick Club," by the greatest prose writer of Christmas, Charles Dickens. It deals with the week-end party, joining a wedding ceremony to old-school English Yuletide festivities, at Dingley Dell, to which Mr. Pickwick carried by stagecoach an enormous codfish and six barrels of oysters. The occasion was also notable for the meeting between Sam Weller and the immortal fat boy, addressed by the former as "young dropsy," "young opium eater," and "young boa-constrictor." . . . Christmas card publishers are still using the theme of Mr. Pickwick's Christmas at Dingley Dell.

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Christmas in Paris, old style, provided George Du Maurier's "Trilby" with an extended description of the Latin Quarter in a holiday mood. The dinner given by Taffy, the Laird and Little Billee in their studio to a large and cosmopolitan gathering was memorable for its humor as well as its conviviality. But the best of this passage is serious, and touches upon the fundamental religious mood of the holiday.

The three English artists went to the Madeleine for midnight mass on Christmas Eve, at which Adam's "Noël" was sung by the finest voice in France:

"And a wave of religious emotion rolled over Little Billee and submerged him; swept him off his little legs, swept him out of his little self, drowned him in a great seething surge of love—love of his kind, love of love, love of life, love of death, love of all that is and ever was and ever will be—a very large order, indeed, for Little Billee."

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For the Christmas short story with a plot—with the new twist to the old theme, the kink of surprise, the trick of ingenuity for which magazine editors yearn as they are preparing the holiday number—O. L. Henry's "The Gift of the Magi" is, we suppose, the most famous.

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TO MAKE IT MERRY.

Some things we need—
Home folks, indeed;
Ivy, holly, mistletoe,
Candles in a row,
Packages with ribbons bound,
Lots of friends to gather round,
Bells and cards, a Christmas tree,
Lights that twinkle merrily,
A hiding place that no one sees.

But if we don't have all of these,
Just one or two home folks will do;
Some things we need—home folks, indeed!

Bessie.

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The Duke in Holiday Mood.

Christmas comes but once a year and I gotta put on my Santy Claus suit fer our kids—if it came twice a year I'd put on a Japanese costume and stand at State an Madison. Our house looks like a cross between a 10c store basement and a cyclone. Instead of eatin in tha kitchen I gotta eat standing up in tha close closet, and darn near even hanging on one of tha hooks to do it.

Seems women just aint got no system, or else they do this act just to get even fer a husband who at one time or other didn hang up his night shirt or mebbe hung his tie on tha floor. Just because I happen to step on a 6 fer a nickel Christmas tree ornament she aint talkin to me fer 2 days. If I thought she'd stretch it to 2 years I'd step on 6 of em.

Every night for tha past week instead of being greeted with her usual sweet greeting of "Wipe yer feet fore ya dare come in," I get "I just got to have $2 more." Christmas Day she's again feeding her starving Armenian relations with turkey so instead of me getting it in the neck tha neck will get in me. Last year I got a swell break, I managed to get a beautiful delicious piece of tha gizzard.

I hope her Uncle Glut dont snoop around cause I still got that 2 bit tie he gave me last year—tha janitor brought it back an tha garbage man picked it out of the can—he seys theres a union rule where garbage cant be removed if its below a certain level.

I hope tha mama likes her gift cause I had a time getting it on a/c of tha shortage of zinc and what good wood a wash board be without it. I wood of got her a muffler instead if I cood be sure she'd wear it around her mouth. She tole me 3 times as how Mr. Glutfisch is buying his Mrs. a entire new wardrobe so I can readily see that my gift is gonna take her right off her feet [providing she dont take me off of mine first].

Course if theres any rough stuff on her part I'm gonna fall back on the old reliable "It isn't tha gift, its tha spirit in which its given." As you might imagine, this will get me as many votes as a certain gentleman wood get if he ran again.

Duke Bakrak.

P. S. Merry Xmas, Mr. Willkie.

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TO A RED, RED NOSE.

Proboscis of magenta hue,
No mazda bulb could shine like you!
The way you sparkle makes it plain
You're overcharged with grape or grain.
Altho the weather's six below,
It's not the wind that makes you glow.
You're overloaded, if you please,
With too much Christmas anti-freeze!

Uncle Louie.

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Report by Official Scorer.

Regarding contributors to the Line Book of 1941: Total of items, 248; total of contributors, 151. High scoring: nine items by one person, seven by another, five by two, four by three, three by ten, two by 26, one by 107. This includes the Linemaster and myself. Curly B.

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The far east does not get Tuesday's news on Monday *there* [Dec. 15]. *We* get it *here*. For the Japanese and the Filipinos the war started on Monday; for us, on Sunday. Gil Blas.

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All ready for the 6 o'clock eggnog bowl, the unwrapping of presents, the midnight party, and "Silent Night"? On your marks! Get set!

CHARLES COLLINS.

How to Keep Well By Dr. Irving S. Cutter

To the limit of space, questions pertaining to the prevention of disease will be answered. Personal replies will be made under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Cutter will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

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BITES FROM INFECTED RATS.

THERE are many reasons why we should rid our communities of rats. They are disease spreaders of the worst type while, as food destroyers, they take front rank. In addition, they may become voracious and take a nip now and then from an exposed portion of the body of a sleeping person.

Ordinarily, such a bite will not be serious, but occasionally one of those rodents will harbor a peculiar type of germ which can be transmitted to human beings. The resulting illness is termed "rat bite fever."

Altho human infections are not common, they are reported often enough to put us on our guard. Cases have been observed in every part of the world, the first in the United States over 100 years ago. The organisms are corkscrewlike affairs which have the power of rapid movement. They may be transmitted by weasels, ferrets, squirrels, or even cats.

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The initial wound heals rather promptly. But some time thereafter [5 to 30 days] the site of the original laceration swells and becomes painful. The lesion later breaks down, forming a craterlike ulcer from one-half to three-quarters of an inch in diameter. Lymph glands in the neighborhood become enlarged and the victim is obviously ill. Not infrequently a high temperature will be exhibited. In fact, an up and down [relapsing type] of fever characterizes the disorder. This situation may continue for weeks or months before natural resistance gains the upper hand.

Usually a slight skin rash appears over the arms, legs, and trunk, but the tiny spots do not develop into open sores. The patient, however, is quite uncomfortable—the muscles are painful and the joints ache.

The diagnosis, for the most part, is not difficult. A few drops of blood may show the causative microbes, if the malady is suspected and the fluid fails to prove on examination the presence of the "bugs," a white mouse may be injected and watched for indications of illness. After a few days, the circulation of the experimental animal may be tested, with the disclosure of the invaders.

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The best remedy is salvarsan or some similar preparation of arsenic. One or two doses will usually suffice. On the other hand, treatment may need to be continued for weeks.

Recently, in South Carolina, a 5 week old infant was bitten on the forehead and right cheek. The joint symptoms were marked, swelling being observed in the fingers and toes with pain on movement. The temperature ranged betwen 100 and 104 degrees Fahrenheit. Upon the administration of sulfarsphenamine [two doses required] the mercury level dropped to normal and convalescence began.

Every one looks upon infections of this type with loathing. In neighborhoods where vermin are known to run at large, more than ordinary care may well be exercised—not allowing helpless babies to remain alone and unprotected. The chances are that our rat population numbers trillions, and that they are not widely infected with this spirochete. At the same time, no one relishes the thought that he is furnishing nutriment for these disgusting "critters."

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EATS LESS AND OFTENER.

R. Y. writes: I am extremely nervous but feel better when I eat 4 or 5 small meals a day. Is this practice advised?

REPLY.

Strongly. In fact, it is more hygienic than our regular program of three hearty sessions at the table.

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BURNING LIDS.

H. K. writes: What causes the eyes to burn?

REPLY.

Irritation of some sort from dust or a substance to which the individual is sensitive. Infection must be thought of as well as eyestrain from too close or continued use.

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NOT A FACTOR.

J. C. C. writes: Will lying on the left side cause heart disease?

REPLY.

No. Take the position that will give you the most comfort.

A FULL SOCK FOR SOMEBODY

THEY'LL GET IT EVENTUALLY!
AMERICA'S WAR MIGHT
WHAT THE AXIS BOYS ARE GOING TO GET—AND HOW!
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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

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SUGGESTION TO THE LEGISLATURE.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—We have said a lot about defending democracy and the rights of man abroad. While there is a lull in the Pacific war we can think over the problem of democracy right in our own back yards.

Soldiers can't vote. With the new law to register almost all men for the draft, we confront the hazard of having our right of franchise taken away from us en masse. I propose a law which would insure the right of every soldier to vote. Some sort of absentee ballot would be practicable. And there must be the same safeguards for secrecy of the ballots for soldiers. VERN NOBLE.

YOUTHS AND THE ARMY.

La Porte, Ind., Dec. 17.—I do not agree with your editorial entitled "It Is Better to Enlist." There are two good reasons in my judgment why young men under 21 should not go into the army.

The first is that men under that age are still in the formative period of their lives and it is a mistake to associate them with older men in the army. The standard of morals and ethics of the older men in the service is low and the profession of a soldier is, of necessity, a brutalizing experience.

The second reason is that young men of this age who go into the army will probably never continue their education when they get out of the army, and this nation will need a trained and intelligent citizenry when this war is over.

BEN C. REES.

WORK FOR WORLD WAR VETS?

Hines Hospital, Hines, Ill., Dec. 15.—Call back the boys of yesterday; the now forgotten vet who served his country in the last war. How many of these defense factories could use these loyal soldiers of yesterday to good advantage and service? Certain insurance systems have kept them back.

There are thousands of jobless World war vets all over the country who are not able to stand the strain of the march again but would welcome jobs as guards of defense plants and other jobs of less strenuous nature where loyalty is a first principle. They are still good soldiers and have been well trained and know their duty and will perform with a pride that might be a surprise to know that they can really be of service to their country again. J. G. MORTON.
Formerly, 1st Division, AEF.

LONELY PRIVATE.

Camp Grant, Ill., Dec. 17.—I am probably the loneliest specimen this side of the Mississippi and the regularity with which my name is skipped at mail call is getting monotonous. I don't care if it's about the weather, the state of affairs in Blue Island, or the price of eggs in Soerabaya [see your Tribune color map], I'd surely appreciate hearing from somebody about something.

PFC JOE EVERINGHAM,
HQ. and HQ. Company, Bldg. No. 331.

AN ALERT JANITOR.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—I, as one of Chicago's flat janitors, have started a campaign with the coöperation of the tenants in the buildings in which I work to save waste paper. It is to be sold and the money contributed to the American Red Cross. ARTHUR SCHWARTZ.

SALESMEN'S TIRES.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—With the temporary ban on sale of auto tires and the ultimate restriction, in some form, on gas, oil, and parts, it appears that the traveling salesman may find it necessary to cut down his trips or forsake his indispensable car.

The average salesman uses a sedan, travels alone, and covers a good hundred miles a day. Consider the number who leave the same city each day and go to the same city, each driving his own auto. An arrangement could be made whereby one driver could carry three or four others at no extra expense.

A system could be worked out, in each city, allowing salesmen who have already completed their calls to stop in a hotel or restaurant to inquire if any of their fellow men are heading their way.

ROY C. CARLSON.

A CHANCE FOR UNCLE SAM.

Chicago, Dec. 17.—"Not the Time for Soft Jobs." And are you right! Seeing is believing. Let anybody go thru the 29 buildings of United States offices, which cost $791,122 [rent a year in Chicago $117,427 for telephone], and floor after floor, hundreds and thousands of desks, white collar jobs—doing what? Drawing salary. For what?

Now's your chance, Uncle Sam. Give the jobs to men with experience who did their part in the last war. Make the age 45 to 64.

There are thousands in vets' hospitals ready and able to handle any of those jobs, relieving the office boys to go for front duty.

I'm 60 and ready, but don't want to hide behind a desk.

THOMAS E. GRADY.

THE SPIRIT IN THE RANKS.

Oak Park, Ill., Dec. 19.—Here is part of a letter from my 18 year old son, who enlisted in the air corps in October:

"I expect if I don't get home for Christmas I'll probably go across. If I do go over and receive a leave, do you think you can say good-by without crying? That's the only way I would come home, because I wouldn't want to make it hard for you. I won't expect to return if I do go, but will willingly die. It is a very small payment to my country, but it is the best I have. I only hope I will be able to do a great amount of damage to the enemy to avenge the lives of our men already massacred. It's great to be of service to your country. I am very proud to help."

I am a very proud mother.

VELMA COOK.

OLD ENGINES FOR "SCRAP."

Chicago, Dec. 17.—Reading your daily paper I am impressed by the constant warning that our steel mills are in danger of a very acute scrap shortage.

On the North Western railroad tracks at Mannheim road there are about two miles of old locomotives. These engines have stood there for about 15 years, rotting away and holding down useful track space.

There is enough scrap in this one rail yard to keep a mill going for some time, and I'm wondering if these are kept on the company books as rolling stock.

How about getting the right authority busy on this line and get that scrap rolling to the mills? How about suggesting another crusade for aluminum, copper, and brass scrap by the people and see the response this time.

Thanks for the Voice of the People.

L. E. G.

SECRETARY KNOX.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—Every one I have heard express themselves since the tragic morning of Dec. 7, 1941, is in perfect accord with your editorial, "Why Knox Must Go." I regret that I can't repeat how they expressed themselves as to where he should go. T. F. CALLAHAN.

FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE

The volume of Legal Friend mail necessitates printed statements on common questions. No copies or records of the letters or answers are kept. Hence follow-up letters should be complete in themselves. If questions are based on some previously printed problem a clipping of the article should accompany. Most of the replies are mailed. Letters bearing no name and address are disregarded. A self-addressed envelope will expedite handling.

PENSION PAYMENTS.

Chicago Heights, Ill., Dec. 10.—[Legal Friend of the People.]—A widowed sister applied for old age pension and is receiving $19. She was informed by the examiner that he found on examining her legal papers concerning her property that her dead husband had signed over the property to her three children.

1. He also told my sister that by receiving a pension she had signed away all her property regardless of the fact that her dead husband had long years ago signed his property over to the children.

2. I shall appreciate your answer.

P. H. K.

1. We doubt if he said this. She may have misunderstood him. It is true that the accumulated pension payments are a charge against any estate left by the recipient at the time of death.

2. See 1.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

Test Your Horse Sense By Dr. George W. Crane.

Select the answers which you consider best. The last problem counts five points. Then look for the correct answers on page 26.

1. The famous Yosemite Falls are located in which state?
Wyoming Utah California Colorado.
2. The peso should be associated chiefly with which of these continents? **Asia North America Africa Australia.**
3. British sailors are often called "Limeys" because they employ citrous fruits to ward off
Yellow fever Scurvy Pediculosis Bubonic plague.
4. If a visitor from Mexico brought you some tortillas should you **Eat them Put them in a cage Put them in a vase Wear them.**
5. Potatoes au gratin are usually prepared with
Onions Cheese Cinnamon Carrots.
6. You are entitled to one point for each correct matching of the essential food values in the left-hand column below with the common foods in which they are chiefly found.

[a] Minerals	[v] Unsweetened gelatin
[b] Starch	[w] Citrous fruits
[c] Sugar	[x] Irish potatoes
[d] Fat	[y] Sorghum
[e] Protein.	[z] Suet.

Score yourself as follows: 0-2, poor; 3-6, average; 7-8, superior; 9-10, very superior. [Note—The last question counts five points.]

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ALL VICTORIES ON THE GOEBBELS FRONT

[St. Louis Post-Dispatch.]

NEWFOUNDLAND'S WEATHER STORY: COLD, COLD, COLD!

U. S. Soldiers There Run Into the Worst of It.

BY WILLIAM FULTON.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

[Passed by United States army and navy censors and by the British imperial censor.]

[Fifth Article].

ST. JOHN'S, Newfoundland [By Mail].—Native Newfoundlanders, like Californians and Floridians alibiing a cold snap, insist the weather during the last year has been most unusual—"really, the worst in 20 years."

No report on Newfoundland, the British colony where the United States has a toehold for hemisphere defense, would be complete without a discussion of the weather and what the Americans are doing about it. Only weather in general can be dealt with because specific or dated weather is taboo with the censors.

Soldiers, sailors, marines, Canadians, British, native Newfoundlanders, and the Chinese laundryman agree last summer was as abbreviated as the bathing suit of an Atlantic City beauty contest winner. Recollections of the number of warm, sunny, rainless summer days range from eight to 14.

Always Sleep Under Blankets.

There has been no night in the year when the Americans could sleep without blankets—and some of the soldiers up here are made of pretty tough material. The thermometer neared zero in August.

St. John's, the capital, altho on the same parallel as Seattle, Wash., is cold the year round. The whole rugged island of Newfoundland is for ever gripped in the wet, icy glove of the Arctic current.

Sometimes in the summer icebergs float in chilly majestic procession past the harbor of St. Johns, sending their frosty breath inland.

It is a damp cold here that cuts into the marrow like a razor. Blizzards and rainstorms are frequent, according to season. Fog is prevalent in winter and spring months, a thick, soupy vapor arising from mixture of the warm Gulf stream and frigid Arctic current out at sea and riding in with the east wind.

It's a Midwestern Show.

Newfoundland is the name for fog in the patois of the Gloucester fishermen hauling in cod off the Grand Banks.

The army picked regular troops from Minnesota and North Dakota, where they built up an insulation against cold weather, as the first detachment for the Newfoundland bases. As time wore on and living comforts increased, conscripts from other parts of the country began to filter in, but, by and large, this is still a middle western show.

Some of the troops have skis and snowshoes. All are equipped with the shoe pack, consisting of a leather upper and a rubber sole. In the winter they also don a heavy, sheepskin-lined mackinaw and the so-called Alaskan cap, with fur ear flaps and a piece buttoning across the nose.

For work in the field the troops carry downfilled, zippered sleeping bags. But there also is the spectacle of two soldiers, bundled in quilts and looking like pin cushions with their rifles sticking out, bouncing along the rocky terrain in a jeep car after an "alert" on these frosty mornings.

Eat Well to Keep Warm.

These soldiers are eating well in order to stoke their bodies and keep warm. They are on the Alaska ration, which increases the beef component of the usual garrison diet by 10 per cent, the bacon component by 33⅓ per cent, and vegetables by 20 per cent. This boost in food compensates for the cold weather.

Until recently most of the men were quartered in tents which were not "winterized" with boarded sides. Sleeping on army cots, the four men in each tent receive more glow than warmth from a single pot-bellied coal stove. The wind howls outside and the canvas flaps like an angry, wet hen.

All visiting newspaper reporters have been invited to spend a night in one of the tents, but there is no documentary evidence of one having done so.

Yet, the health of the men has been good. Capt. A. M. Stegeman of the medical corps said the soldiers had become inured to the cold by living in the tents and an increase in respiratory diseases was expected after they moved into the modern, heated barracks.

PARISIANS MAKE 2 MORE ATTACKS ON NAZI OFFICERS

[Copyright: 1941: By the New York Times.]

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 23.—Gabriele Peri and Sampaix, two veteran writers of the Parisian pre-war newspaper Humanité were among the 100 hostages shot on Dec. 18 at Mont Valerien fortress north of Paris as one of the "punishments" inflicted on the Parisian population by Gen. Otto von Stuelpnagel in reprisal for repeated bombing outrages during recent weeks.

These measures have not halted the "outrages" to any great extent. This was shown in reports tonight of two more attacks on German officers during the last 24 hours—one near Place de la Concorde in the blackout, the other in the fashionable Passy district, where a lone German captain returning to his billet shortly after sunup was set upon, beaten, undressed and left where he fell.

The report said German authorities are making considerable out of the fact that the attack was made in daylight, and no one intervened. Severe measures are expected to be taken against the entire Passy district where arrests were carried out on a large scale thruout the day.

COUPLE TO MARK GOLDEN WEDDING.

Holland, Mich., Dec. 23 [Special].—Mr. and Mrs. John M. Vantubergen will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary tomorrow at their farm home south of Holland.

The War Situation in Russia

Developments reported yesterday in the war along the Russian front are told in captions.

RUSSIANS RETAKE RAIL JUNCTION IN MOSCOW SECTOR

Nazis Pushed Farther Back at Leningrad.

MOSCOW, Dec. 24 [Wednesday] (AP).—Red army troops, swiftly re-establishing direct communications with the Donetz basin and Leningrad in their big winter offensive, today announced the recapture of Gorbachevo, 150 miles south of here, and the withdrawal of the Germans across the Volkhov river in the Leningrad area.

A soviet communique told of the retaking of Gorbachevo, an important railway junction midway between Tula and Orel on the Moscow-Kharkov railway. Other nearby points, including Odoev, farther to the west, also were reoccupied.

In the northwest, dispatches said, the German troops which had been trying since October to throttle Leningrad had been pushed back to the Volkhov, and at some points beyond it, and were facing annihilation. This river is southeast of Leningrad and that action represented a soviet gain of more than 50 miles. The drive was made in cruel blizzards and temperatures 22 degrees below zero Fahrenheit.

Letters Arrive in Moscow.

The network of Russian communications southeast of Leningrad now is free from enemy occupation and private letters were arriving in Moscow from the old czarist capital. In spite of the long siege there, Leningrad's food situation was reported improved, some supplies apparently having arrived from the United States and England [presumably by way of Archangel].

The Volkhov, where the Germans now are being battered, connects Lakes Ilmen and Ladoga and is the main water barrier on this front. It is crossed by the principal Leningrad-Moscow rail line.

The seizure of Gorbachevo likewise represented a gain of more than 50 miles for the soviets, because at one time the German armies had penetrated far east of that point in their efforts to encircle Moscow.

Advance West of Moscow.

The Russians were advancing in the direction of Maloyaroslavets, 65 miles southwest of Moscow, taking three villages there. West of Moscow at about the same distance, 70 villages were captured in the last 10 days around Mozhaisk.

Maloyaroslavets saw the heaviest fighting. Here the Germans were trying to make a stand in many newly built blockhouses and in tanks which had been sunk into the earth.

On the southern front, above the Sea of Azov, villages were reported liberated. In the Crimea, however, the Germans persisted in their pressure on the besieged naval port of Sevastopol and the position of the city admittedly was serious. But stiff Russian resistance continued, and one Red army force retook a hill overlooking Sevastopol in a sharp counter-attack.

Claim Russians Repulsed.

BERLIN, Dec. 23 [Official broadcast recorded by Associated Press].—The German high command declared today that heavy fighting continues on the central Russian front. "At several points our troops successfully repulsed heavy enemy attacks and destroyed 19 soviet tanks," the high command said. It asserted that the German air force had damaged a soviet warship of the Crimean naval base of Sevastopol scoring direct hits on the vessel. On the Arctic air front, the communique said, German bombers sank one merchantman east of the Rybachi peninsula and damaged another in Kola bay.

French Legion Withdrawn.

New York, Dec. 23 [Special].—The French legion which has been fighting on the Russian front has been withdrawn from the firing line, the British radio reported today.

Reveal Blast in Chemical Warehouse at Copenhagen

LONDON, Dec. 23 (AP).—A broadcast from German occupied Denmark said police blamed saboteurs for an explosion in a chemical ware house in Copenhagen early today.

NAZIS FINE NORWEGIAN CITY FOR HOSTILITY TO OCCUPATION TROOPS

BERNE, Switzerland, Dec. 23 (AP).—The city of Stavanger, Norway, was fined 2,000,000 kroner by occupation authorities who confiscated all radio sets for the duration of the war, the Stockholm correspondent of the Basler National Zeitung said today. [The kroner is no longer quoted in New York. At one time it was quoted at 26 cents.]

The Germans said it was punishment for continuous telephone cable sabotage and hostility to German troops. The city was previously fined 1,000,000 kroner, the report said.

Tension was reported especially sharp, compelling the sending of German troops who are now camped outside the city but ready to enter at the first sign of trouble.

COSSACK RIDERS, AS OF OLD, CHARGE INTO FIGHT AGAIN

Saber a Fierce Weapon to Tired Germans.

BY EDDY GILMORE.

KUIBYSHEV, Russia, Dec. 23 [Wide World].—Against the background of the most highly mechanized warfare in history, horses and Cossacks have galloped dramatically into the center of the picture.

At the start of this war, many military authorities regarded them as romantic figures of the past, wholly unfit for battle with machines.

Then came the Red army's stubborn resistance, its stand, its advance. And up there in front, across Russia's snowy, wind-swept plains and hills charged the Don Cossack of old.

The Same Turkish Trousers.

Actually he hasn't changed much since the czars first employed him in frontier guards in the early 19th century. He has the same forelock, his hair hanging shaggylike beneath his gay hat, which looks strangely like something out of a musical comedy; the same Turkish trousers, the same high boots.

His saber—a weapon discarded by some armies—has made him not only a good fighter but a terrifying opponent to the Nazis. In some cases he still is carrying the old-time lance and putting it to plenty of use.

Altho the Cossack nowadays carries grenades, a pistol, and sometimes a machine gun, he never puts down his saber.

There's an old cavalry saying: "A saber is always loaded." The Cossacks proved it again.

100,000 Now in Action.

Now a big Cossack army estimated at 100,000 men is operating brilliantly against the retreating Germans.

Twenty-three years under the soviets have seen the Cossack undergo many changes, altho he strangely seems the same—possibly because he is above all a fighter who loves battle as some men love home and peace.

The Cossacks were one of the earliest dreads of the revolutionaries. They were deprived of time-old privileges, and for a period served neither as a separate mounted group nor in any phase of Red army service. In 1936, however, they got their own squadrons.

The Cossacks have been highly praised by American military observers in Russia, particularly Lieut. Col. Kent C. Lambert, cavalryman. "It's really a return of the horse," he said.

Nazis Reported in Control of Balkan Black Sea Ports

LONDON, Dec. 23 (AP).—The Bulgarian port of Varna and the Rumanian port of Constanta on the Black sea were reported today by the Moscow radio to be in complete German control. The radio quoted Istanbul sources. Announcement of Bulgarian mobilization was expected shortly as Bulgarian war preparations were reported increasing, particularly along the Turkish border, the radio said.

Merry Christmas to Chicago from our London Office

The high courage of Londoners under fire has won the respect of the world. Now that we're in the war ourselves, we admire even more the pluck and determination of the Islanders.

HERE'S HOW THEY CARRY ON IN MARSHALL FIELD & COMPANY'S LONDON OFFICE

Dear Chicago Staff:

To save paper, postage, shipping space and money—all to help win the war—we of London office ask you to wish our friends in Chicago our greetings and good wishes for Christmas and the New Year.

Neither at Regent Street nor at home have any of us suffered harm or lost a day through enemy action this year. Evenings and weekends, Mr. Wardale dons R.A.F. Volunteer Reserve uniform, resumes his last war rank of Flying Officer, and teaches keen young R.A.F. cadets aerial navigation. Lieutenant Brewer, in battle-dress, trains and commands machine gunners of the Home Guard. On an "Alert," Mr. Cowley leads a Fire Guard squad. My stenographer wears a steel helmet to parade the blacked-out midnight streets on Fire Patrol. I act as Air Raid Warden. All this work is part of the voluntary unpaid Defense Services.

You may like to compare State Street conditions with those London stores have faced in the 1941 Christmas season. They've been handicapped by Limitation of Supplies, dearth of merchandise, coupon "points" rationing, little or no decorations, wrappings prohibited for "taken" goods, Purchase Tax (1/6th or 1/3rd), compulsory 4 o'clock closing, restricted travel facilities, staffs decimated by loss of men and women to war services and war industries, high prices for customers impoverished by fierce taxation. Yet, the Christmas spirit is clearly evident in street and store.

And thanks largely to the magnificent co-operation of the U. S. A., we in England approach 1942 increasingly cheerful and confident.

H. Thorpe

(*Head of our London Office*)

COMPLETE RADIO PROGRAMS AND HIGHLIGHTS FOR TODAY

CHICAGO FREQUENCIES.

W-G-N—720	WAIT—820	WSBC—1240
W59C—45.9	WLS—890	WCRW—1240
W51C—45.1	WENR—890	WEDC—1240
W67C—46.7	WAAF—950	WGES—1390
WIND—560	WCFL—1000	WHFC—1450
WILL—580	WMBI—1110	WHIP—1520
WMAQ—670	WJJD—1160	WMRO—1280
WBBM—780	WJOB—1230	

MORNING

[Central Standard Time.]
[(M) indicates MBS, (N) NBC, (C) CBS.]

5:30—W-G-N—Farm hour; markets.
WBBM—Cousin Emmy and Gang.
WLS—Smile-a-While.
WJJD—Breakfast Frolic.

6 **—W-G-N—Breakfast Time Frolics.**
WLS—The Crossroads Store.
WCFL—Cheerful Little Earful.
WAAF—Farm Folks hour.
WIND—Dawn Patrol.

6:15—WMAQ—Agricultural news.
WMBI—Sunrise Songs.

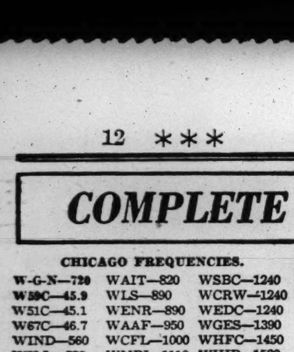
6:30—WBBM—Farm Service hour; news.
WLS—Morning Devotions.
WJJD—Family Bible league.
WMAQ—Morning News Reporter.

6:45—WLS—Ervin Lewis, news.
WMAQ—Reveille Roundup [N].

7 **—W-G-N—The Day Breaker, music.**
WBBM—The World Today, news.
WMAQ—Suburban hour; N. Ross.
WAAF—Breakfast Express.
WGES—Early Birds' program.
WHFC—Cicero Bible church.
WMBI—Morning Worship.
WJJD—Morning Jamboree.
WIND—Polish-American hour.
WLS—Clifton Utley, news [N].

7:15—W-G-N—Aunt Jemima, comedy.
WLS—One-Two-Three Time.

Red Cross Singer



Deanna Durbin will sing Christmas songs when she appears on the special Red Cross program on WMAQ-NBC at 8 tonight. Eddie Cantor, who first put her on the air, will be master of ceremonies for this all-star show.

WCFL—Moods for Morning.
WBBM—John Harrington, news.

7:20—W-G-N—Ed Allen, news.

7:25—W-G-N—Nothing but the Truth.

7:30—W-G-N—Good-by, Carbon.
WBBM—Wishing Well; M.Paxton.
WHIP—Family Altar Service.
WCFL—Time to Shine, music.
WLS—Mac and Bob, blind duo.
WAIT—Heaven and Home hour.
WILL—Daily Illini news.
WJJD—Christian Science hour.

7:35—W-G-N—Wake Up and Sing.

7:40—W-G-N—Brush and Smile.

7:45—W-G-N—Music with a Flavor.
WLS—Jolly Joe and Pet Pals.
WILL—Student Churches.
WJJD—Current news.

8 **—W-G-N—Spencer Allen, news.**
WMAQ—Your Neighbor program.
WBBM—Dick Frost, news.
WLS—Lulu Belle and Scotty.
WJJD—Fun, Incorporated.
WCFL—Breakfast club [N].
WILL—Christmas concert.
WAIT—The Life Line.
WSBC—Bohemian Alarm Clock.
WHIP—A Little Bit of Poland.

8:15—W-G-N—Gospel Singer; E.McHugh.
WBBM—Sendoff program, variety.
WLS—Ervin Lewis, news.
WAIT—Christianity in Action.

8:30—W-G-N—Gladtime Melodies.
W51C—Military Patrol.
WMAQ—Norman Ross time; news.
WBBM—Rhythm Off the Record.
WLS—Chuck Acree, comment.
WIND—Lest We Forget.
WJJD—Current news.
WAIT—Message to Israel.
WGES—Unite for defense.

8:40—WBBM—Fact and Fancy.

8:45—W-G-N—Morning Melodies.
W51C—Waltz Musical.
WBBM—Stories Amer. Loves [C].
WMAQ—Songs in Fashion.
WLS—Mountain Playhouse.
WIND—News report.
WJJD—Song Shop program.

9:55—W-G-N—News reports.

9 **—W-G-N—Bouquet program, music.**
W51C—Vocal Novelties.
WMAQ—Bess Johnson, serial [N].
WBBM—Betty Crocker, talk [C].
WLS—The Bookshop program.
WHIP—Symphony hour.
WCFL—News reports.
WAIT—Bible Study hour.
WJOB—Masterwork hour.
WMBI—Community Salute.
WAAF—News; canary serenade.
WIND—Start the Day Right.
WJJD—Sunshine Jubilee.
WILL—Story Book.

9:15—W-GN—Happy Meeting Time.
W51C—Matinata.
WCFL—Time for Rhythm.
WMAQ—Bachelor's Children [N].
WBBM—Myrt and Marge [C].
WJJD—Fed. Food Reporter.
WLS—Ervin Lewis, news.

9:20—WJJD—Listen, Ladies.

9:30—W-G-N—June Baker, home talk.
WIND—Hollywood and Broadway.
WGES—Swedish program.
WMAQ—Helpmate, serial [N].
WLS—Howard Peterson, organ.
WBBM—Stepmother, serial [C].
WCFL—Dance orchestra.
WJJD—Good Will Men.

9:45—W-G-N—Linda's First Love, serial.
W51C—Vocal Cadences.
WMAQ—Road of Life, serial [N].
WIND—Songs of Love.
WBBM—Shopping with Missus[C].
WJJD—Down Argentine Way.
WLS—Jane Tucker, talk.
WCFL—Varieties program.

10 **—W-G-N—Editor's Daughter, serial.**
W51C—Musical Tête-à-Tête.
WCFL—For Women Only.
WBBM—Buddy Clark, songs [C].
WMAQ—Story of Mary Marlin[N].
WIND—Dance and Romance.
WHIP—Lithuanian Variety.
WILL—A Wakefield Nativity.
WAAF—The Orchestra Pit.
WJJD—News; also WAIT.

10:10—WLS—Ervin Lewis, news.

10:15—W-G-N—Hearts in Harmony.
WBBM—Man I Married, serial[C].

Listeners' Choice

Variety and Comedy

3:00 p. m.—W-G-N—An Hour with Elson and Anson. Guests: State's Attorney Thomas Courtney and Ray Charles, singer.

7:00 p. m.—WLS—Quiz Kids, with Joe Kelly. Contestants: Mary C. McHugh, Jack Lucal, Richard Williams, Joan Bishop, and Claude Brenner.

7:30 p. m.—WMAQ—Plantation Party; Whitey Ford, m. c.; Louise Massey and Westerners, Doring Sisters, Tom, Dick, and Harry, and Michael Stewart, basso.

8:00 p. m.—WBBM—Star Theater, with Fred Allen, Portland Hoffa, Kenny Baker, and Al Goodman's music. Guests: Helen Jepson, soprano; Larry Robinson, and Jeanne Pidgeon, Iowa State co-ed.

8:00 p. m.—WMAQ—Red Cross program; Eddie Cantor, m. c.; Deanna Durbin, Florella La Guardia, Dinah Shore, Bert Gordon, Loretta Young, Fibber McGee and Molly, and Aldrich Family with Ezra Stone.

9:00 p. m.—WMAQ—Kay Kyser's Kollege of Musical Knowledge; Trudy Erwin, Dorothy Dunn, Harry Babbitt, and Sully Mason.

9:30 p. m.—W-G-N—Shoot the Works, fun quiz, with Marvin Miller. Guests: Army, navy and marine corps men.

Drama

7:00 p. m.—WBBM—Big Town, with Edward G. Robinson and Ona Munson in "Dear Santa Claus."

7:00 p. m.—WMAQ—Adventures of the Thin Man, with Claudia Morgan and Les Damon in "Santa Comes Across."

7:30 p. m.—W-G-N—The Lone Ranger, western drama.

7:30 p. m.—WBBM—Dr. Christian, with Jean Hersholt, in "From Us to You."

Music

Noon—WAAF—Symphonic Hour presents Dohnanyi's "Variations on a Nursery Tune."

4:30 p. m.—W59C—Studio Salon orchestra; Attilio Baggiore, soloist. Schubert's and Bach-Gounod's "Ave Maria" and Franck's "Panis Angelicus."

7:30 p. m.—W59C—Studio Salon orchestra; Edna O'Dell, soloist, sings "The Night Before Christmas."

8:30 p. m.—W-G-N—Special Christmas program, with Marion Claire, soloist, and W-G-N Symphony orchestra, directed by Henry Weber.

9:00 p. m.—WENR—American Melody hour, with Vivian Della Chiesa, Conrad Thibault, Frank Munn, and Frank Black's orchestra.

9:00 p. m.—W59C—Perfectionists' hour; program of traditional Christmas carols.

9:15 p. m.—W-G-N—Spotlight Band: Skinnay Ennis' orchestra.

10:00 p. m.—WIND—Symphonic hour; Taylor's "Through the Looking Glass," Corelli's "Christmas Concerto."

10:00 p. m.—W51C—Special Christmas eve music and Dickens' "Christmas Carol."

10:30 p. m.—WCFL—Music Lovers' hour; requests.

10:30 p. m.—WMAQ—NBC Symphony orchestra and choir present "Nutcracker Ballet Suite."

11:35 p. m.—WBBM—Columbia carol concert; Sir Thomas Beecham, conductor.

Special Events

9:30 a. m.—WJJD—"Good Will to Men"; Dr. Charles Venable, Father Hugh Calkins, and Rabbi Paul Gorin.

10:00 a. m.—WILL—"A Wakefield Nativity," five mystery plays.

12:15 p. m.—WILL—"The Christmas Story," given by the Broadcasters.

4:00 p. m.—W-G-N, W59C, WBBM, WMAQ, WENR, WCFL, WIND—Lighting of Community Christmas tree in Washington; President Roosevelt, the Rev. J. M. Corrigan, carol singing by choral groups.

5:15 p. m.—WENR—Santa Claus Comes to Town.

8:00 p. m.—WENR—Special Christmas eve program from Bethlehem, Pa.; choir and congregation of Moravian church; dramatization from New York.

8:05 p. m.—WCFL—Court of Missing Answers summons Old St. Nick.

9:15 p. m.—WBBM—Christmas Jubilee; Franklyn MacCormack and Jewel Tea chorus in holiday poetry and music.

10:00 p. m.—WGES—All-Slavic Christmas party with George Marshan; followed at midnight with Christmas eve mass.

10:45 p. m.—W-G-N—Royal Arch Gunnison from Manila.

11:00 p. m.—W-G-N and W59C—Pontifical High Mass from St. Patrick's cathedral, New York, with Archbishop Francis J. Spellman as celebrant; Pietro Yon, organist, and choir singing the mass.

11:05 p. m.—WBBM—Children's Christmas party.

11:35 p. m.—WMAQ—"Mistletoe and Magnolias," chorus and orchestra directed by Peter Brescia.

Midnight—WGES—Christmas eve mass.

WJJD—Dick Baker, songs.
WMAQ—Pep. Young's Family [N].
WLS—Good Morning Neighbors.
WCFL—Living Literature.
WAAF—Charles W. Hamp.

10:30—W-G-N—The Voice of Romance.
W51C—Morning dance music.
WBBM—Bright Horizon, ser. [C].
WJJD—Ruth Howard, shopping.
WMAQ—Lone Journey, serial [N].
WAAF—Mythical Ballroom.
WAIT—A. Hunter views the news.
WMBI—The Home hour.
WILL—Moments Musical.
WGES—Our America.

10:45—W-G-N—Morning Melodies.
W51C—Vocal Tidings.
WMAQ—David Harum, serial [N].
WBBM—Aunt Jenny's Stories [C].
WCFL—Console Capers.
WLS—Market reports.
WIND—Current news.

11 **—W-G-N—John B. Hughes [M].**
W51C—Chamber music.
WCFL—News report.
WBBM—Kate Smith Speaks [C].
WMAQ—Betty and Bob, serial.
WIND—Dance and Romance.
WLS—Martha and Helen.
WILL—What Christ Means to Me.
WJJD—Music, Please.
WHFC—Toyland music.

11:15—W-G-N—This Is Life, drama [M].
W51C—Musical Hi-lights.
WBBM—Big Sister, serial [C].
WMAQ—The Bartons, serial.
WCFL—Peekers in the Pantry.
WJJD—Swingcapades.

11:30—W-G-N—Quin Ryan, news.
W51C—Medley Time.
WJJD—Safety Court trials.
WIND—Dick Baker, songs.
WLS—The Rangers.
WMAQ—Farm, Home hour [N].
WBBM—Rom. of H. Trent [C].
WCFL—Dance orchestra.
WAAF—Rhythm Revue.

11:45—W-G-N—Harold Turner, pianist.
W51C—Novelty Instruments.
WBBM—Our Gal Sunday [C].
WIND—Dr. Rhythm.
WILL—News of Illinois.
WAAF—Romantic Melodies.
WLS—Farms news; markets.
WHFC—Singin' Sam.
WCFL—British Childs' party [N].
WAIT—Your Life program.

AFTERNOON

12 **—W-G-N—Len Salvo, organist.**
W59C—News bulletins.
W51C—Luncheon Serenade.
WAIT—Prancin' with Anson.
WBBM—Life Can Be Beautiful[C].
WIND—At Your Service.
WGES—Polish Dinnerbell prog.
WHIP—Southtown church.
WCFL—News; also WMBI, WJJD.
WILL—Noontime Melodies.
WAAF—Symphonic hour.
WLS—Dinnerbell Time.

12:05—W59C—Luncheon concert.

12:15—W-G-N—Helen Holden, serial [M].
WIND—Noontime Melodies.
WMAQ—Tunes and Tips.
WILL—The Christmas story.
WCFL—Singin' Sam.
WJJD—Symphony in Swing.
WHFC—Man on the Street.
WMBI—Midday hour.

12:30—W-G-N—Front Page Farrell [M].
WBBM—Right to Happiness [C].
WMAQ—Norman Barry, news.
WCFL—Fashions in Song.
WJJD—Loop noonday service.
WILL—Illinois Farm hour.
WIND—Modern Airs.
WLS—Julian Bentley, news.
WHIP—Chicago at Work.

12:45—W-G-N—Market reports.
WCFL—War news report.
WMAQ—Music of Yesterday.

News Broadcasts

MORNING.

7:00—WBBM	8:15—WLS	9:55—WAAF
7:00—WLS	8:30—WJJD	10:00—WJJD
7:00—WCFL	8:40—WMAQ	10:10—WLS
7:15—WBBM	8:45—WIND	10:45—WIND
7:20—W-G-N	8:55—W-G-N	11:00—W-G-N
7:50—WJJD	9:00—WCFL	11:00—WCFL
8:00—W-G-N	9:00—WAAF	11:30—W-G-N
8:00—WBBM	9:15—WLS	

AFTERNOON.

12:00—W59C	1:00—WCFL	3:00—W59C
12:00—WJJD	1:25—WLS	3:15—WBBM
12:00—WCFL	1:30—WJJD	3:55—WENR
12:30—WMAQ	1:55—WLS	4:55—W-G-N
12:30—WLS	2:00—W59C	5:00—WMAQ
12:45—WIND	2:00—WCFL	5:00—WENR
12:45—WCFL	2:30—WAAF	5:00—WCFL
12:55—W-G-N	2:40—W-G-N	5:45—WBBM
1:00—W59C	2:55—WBBM	5:45—WMAQ
1:00—WAAF		

EVENING.

6:00—W59C	8:00—W-G-N	10:30—W-G-N
6:00—WIND	8:00—W59C	10:30—WBBM
6:15—WMAQ	8:00—WCFL	10:45—W-G-N
6:15—WCFL	8:15—W-G-N	10:45—WENR
6:30—W-G-N	8:45—WIND	10:55—W-G-N
6:30—WLS	9:00—W-G-N	11:00—WBBM
6:45—WMAQ	9:00—WCFL	11:00—WENR
7:00—W-G-N	9:00—WIND	11:30—WMAQ
7:00—W59C	9:45—WENR	11:55—WMAQ
7:00—WCFL	9:45—WIND	11:55—WENR
7:00—WIND	10:00—W59C	12:55—WMAQ
7:30—WIND	10:00—WBBM	12:55—WENR
7:55—WBBM	10:00—WCFL	1:55—WENR
7:55—WIND	10:15—WMAQ	1:55—WMAQ

WBBM—Road of Life, serial [C].
WIND—Current news.
WLS—Question Box; markets.

12:50—W-G-N—Noontime Melodies.

12:55—W-G-N—Ed Allen, news.

1 **—W-G-N—Don Norman's Date.**
W59C—Cedric Foster, news.
W51C—Ivory Skirmishes.
WJJD—Live stock markets.
WILL—Homemakers' hour.
WAAF—News; also WAIT, WCFL.
WLS—School Time program.
WMAQ—Light of the World [N].
WBBM—Young Dr. Malone [C].
WIND—One o'Clock Matinée.
WMBI—Bible Study hour.

1:15—W-G-N—Painted Dreams, serial.
W59C—The Music Reader.
W51C—Gypsy Romance.
WMAQ—Mystery Man, serial [N].
WJJD—Len Cleary, organist.
WBBM—Joyce Jordan, serial [C].
WAAF—Melody Review.
WLS—Grain market; news.
WCFL—Dance orchestra [N].
WILL—Market reports.

1:30—W-G-N—Dickens' "Xmas Carol."
W51C—Dance maestro.
WMAQ—Valiant Lady, serial [N].
WIND—Luncheon Dance.
WBBM—Fletcher Wiley, talk [C].
WAAF—Ballroom Prevues.

Joins Fred Allen

Helen Jepson, Metropolitan opera soprano, who will join Fred Allen in his Christmas eve broadcast over WBBM-CBS at 8 tonight.

WILL—The Digest; news.
WLS—Homemakers' program.
WCFL—Meet the Folks.
WJJD—Current news.

1:45—W-G-N—Marriage License bureau.
W59C—FM Demonstration.
WAAF—Dance Time.
WBBM—Kate Hopkins, serial [C].
WMAQ—Grimm's Daughter [N].
WCFL—Spotlight program.
WIND—Sports Edition.
WHIP—We Are Americans.

1:55—WLS—Ervin Lewis, news.

2 **—W-G-N—Your Arms Reporter.**
W59C—News bulletin.
W51C—Artist's Album.
WLS—Orphans of Divorce [N].
WBBM—Helping Hand, serial [C].
WCFL—News; also WMBI.
WILL—Evolution of the Horse.
WMAQ—Against the Storm [N].
WJJD—Bill Anson Music Hall.
WHFC—Request program.
WAAF—Markets; army facts.

2:05—W59C—Waltz Time.

2:15—W-G-N—Ralph Ginsburgh's orch.
W59C—Romantic Ballads.
WMAQ—Ma Perkins, serial.
WCFL—Surprise Package.
WBBM—Meet the Missus.
WLS—Amanda of H'y'n Hill [N].
WILL—Recital Hall.

2:30—W-G-N—Harold Turner, pianist.
W59C—Familiar Tunes.
W51C—Latin Moods.
WMAQ—Guiding Light, ser. [N].
WSBC—Italian Radio theater.
WAAF—News reports.
WBBM—Goodwill Christmas prog.
WJJD—Melody Market.
WLS—John's Other Wife [N].

2:40—W-G-N—News reports.

2:45—W-G-N—Rhymster Tyme.
W51C—Romantic Cycle.
WAAF—South American Way.
WMAQ—Vic and Sade, serial [N].
WCFL—On the Mall, music.
WJJD—What's Your Opinion.
WLS—Just Plain Bill, serial [N].

3 **—W-G-N—Bob Elson and Bill Anson.**
W59C—News bulletins.
W51C—Sinfonetta.
W67C—Three O'Clock Matinée.
WBBM—Every Woman's World.
WAAF—Mythical Ballroom.
WGES—Christmas in So. America.
WHIP—Ave Maria Hour.
WILL—Music of the Masters.
WJJD—Dearest Mother, serial.
WCFL—The Juke Box, music.
WMAQ—Backstage Wife, ser. [N].
WENR—Club Matinée, variety[N].
WHFC—Music Appreciation time.

3:05—W59C—Afternoon serenade.

3:15—W59C—Soft Swing.
W51C—Modern Harmony.
W67C—Singing Strings.
WBBM—John Harrington, news.
WMAQ—Stella Dallas, serial [N].
WJJD—Stars Over Hollywood.

3:30—W59C—Dance with Us.
W51C—Symphonic band.
W67C—Dixie Songsters.
WMAQ—Lorenzo Jones, ser. [N].
WJJD—Peter McGregor, serial.
WBBM—Lone Journey, serial.

3:45—W-G-N—Boake Carter, news.
W51C—Waltz Matinée.
W67C—Dance time.
WMAQ—Widder Brown, ser. [N].
WJJD—Melody Time.
WBBM—Caesar Petrillo's orch.

4 **—W-G-N—and W59C—Lighting of Nat'l Christmas Tree; also WMAQ, WBBM, WENR, WIND, and WCFL.**
W51C—In the Drawing Room.
W67C—Masterworks program.
WILL—I Am an American.
WJJD—Suppertime Frolic.
WJOB—Parade of Bands.
WAIT—The Big Show.

4:30—W-G-N—Don Winslow of the Navy.
W59C—A. Baggiore; tenor; orch.
W51C—Gilbert and Sullivan.
WBBM—The O'Neills, serial [C].
WENR—The Most Out of Life.
WCFL—Make Believe Danceland.
WIND—Sports Edition.
WMAQ—We, the Abbotts [N].

4:45—W-G-N—Uncle Harry's club.
W59C—Pop concert.
W51C—On the Dance Floor.
WBBM—Scattergood Baines [C].
WMAQ—Dinning Sisters, trio [N].
WENR—In Care of Aggie Horn.

4:55—W-G-N—Charles Victor, news.

5 **—W-G-N—Little Orphan Annie.**
W59C—Christmas Carols.
W51C—South Sea Idyls.
W67C—Les Griffith, news.
WENR—News; Hollywood news.
WBBM—Painted Dreams, serial.
WMAQ—News; Vagabonds [N].
WCFL—News reports.
WGES—Bohemian Family hour.

5:10—WENR—Off the Record, music.

5:15—W-G-N—Terry and the Pirates.
W51C—Favorite Classics.
W67C—Organ Echoes.
WENR—Santa Comes to Town.
WMAQ—Musical Memories.
WBBM—Hopper's Hollywood [C].
WCFL—Master Melodies.
WIND—Dance music.
WJOB—Woman's World in 1941.

5:30—W-G-N—Jack Armstrong, ser. [M].
W51C—Musical Pickup.
W67C—Dance Varieties.
WMAQ—Fantasies in Ivory.
WENR—Flying Patrol, serial.
WIND—Eddie Chase, records.
WBBM—Frank Parker, tenor [C].
WCFL—Guess Who? Music.

5:45—W-G-N—Capt. Midnight, ser. [M].
WBBM—The World Today.
WCFL—Jack Kelly's orchestra.
WENR—Mix Straight Shooters[N].
WMAQ—Norman Barry, news.
WIND—Dance time.

EVENING

6 **—W-G-N—Dr. Preston Bradley.**
W59C—Fulton Lewis Jr., news.
W51C—Dinner music.
W67C—South American music.
WENR—Easy Aces, serial [N].
WMAQ—Sweet and Spanish.
WBBM—Amos 'n' Andy, ser.[C].
WIND—News summary.

6:15—W-G-N—Bob Elson, sports.
W59C—Wonderful Time.
WBBM—Lanny Ross, tenor [C].
WENR—Tracer Lost Persons [N].
WMAQ—News of the World [N].
WCFL—News reports.
WIND—Musical program.

6:30—W-G-N—Clifton Utley, news.
W59C—Musical Comedy Encores.
W67C—Six-Thirty Serenade.
WMAQ—Musical entrée.
WBBM—Meet Mr. Meek [C].
WCFL—Music by Airline.
WLS—Julian Bentley, news.

6:45—W-G-N—H. Sanders and G. Savage.
W59C—Ralph Ginsburgh's orch.
WLS—Smile Market.
WMAQ—Norman Barry, news.

7 **—W-G-N—Cal Tinney, humorist[M].**
W59C—News bulletins.
W51C—Melodic Nuances.
W67C—Novelettes.
WMAQ—Adv'tures. Thin Man [N].
WLS—The Quiz Kids [N].
WBBM—Big Town, drama [C].
WCFL—News; also WIND.
WEDC—Polish Grunwald hour.

ON SHORT WAVES

LONDON.

The following short wave programs from London may be heard over GSC, 9.58 meg., 31.32 m.; GSL, 6.11 meg., 49.10 m.:

3:15 p. m.—London Calling.
3:45 p. m.—Calling the World.
4:30 p. m.—Program from Newfoundland.
5:30 p. m.—Canada calls from London.
6:45 p. m.—Democracy marches.
7:30 p. m.—Britain Speaks.
8:15 p. m.—Sinews of War.
9:30 p. m.—Radio Newsreel.

SYDNEY.

3:55 p. m.—News and music. VLQ7, 11.88 meg., 25.2 m.

MOSCOW.

5:45 p. m.—News in English. RNE, 12 meg., 25 m.
8:30 p. m.—News in English. RV96, 15.18 meg., 19.7 m.
11:00 p. m.—News. RV96, 15.18 meg., 19.7 m.

WHFC—Bohemian hour.

7:05—W59C—Christmas Concert.

7:15—W-G-N—The Hoople hour.
W67C—Vocal Varieties.
WCFL—Jack Kelly's orchestra.
WIND—Time to Remember.

7:30—W-G-N—The Lone Ranger [M].
W59C—Studio Salon orchestra.
W67C—Dance band.
WMAQ—Plantation Party [N].
WBBM—Dr. Christian, drama [C].
WLS—Manhattan at Midnight [N].
WCFL—Money in Your Pocket.
WIND—Capt. Michael Fielding.

7:45—W67C—News; also WIND.
WCFL—Fireside Melodies.
WIND—Current news.

7:55—WBBM, WIND—Elmer Davis [C].

8 **—W-G-N—Gabriel Heatter, news[M].**
W59C—News bulletins.
W51C—Waltz time.
W67C—Masterworks program.
WMAQ—Special Red Cross P. [N].
WCFL—News reports.
WBBM—Star Thea.—F. Allen [C].
WENR—Christmas Eve Prog. [N].
WIND—Scattergood Baines [C].

8:05—W59C—Dance Interlude.
WCFL—Court of Missing Answers.

8:15—W-G-N—Quin Ryan, news.
W59C—Sellers and J. Tomasow.
WIND—Don Pedro's orchestra.

On Holiday Hour

Marion Claire, star of the Theater of the Air, will be the soloist on a special program of Christmas music to be given in W-G-N's main studio at 8:30 tonight. Soldiers, sailors, and marines will be studio guests for this program and Shoot the Works which will follow.

8:30—W-G-N—Special Christmas prog.
W59C—Adventures in Melody.
W51C—Evening concert.
WENR—Penthouse serenade [N].
WIND—Hans Muenzer's ensemble.
WCFL—Labor news flashes.

8:45—WIND—Dr. Gerhard Schacher.
WCFL—Mission Melodies.

9 **—W-G-N—Alan Scott, news.**
W59C—Perfectionists' hour.
WMAQ—Kay Kyser's Kollege [N].
WENR—American Melody hr. [N].
WBBM—Glenn Miller's orch. [C].
WCFL—News. Also WIND.

9:15—W-G-N—Spotlight bands [M].
WBBM—Christmas Jubilee.
WCFL—Golden Melodies.
WIND—Freddie Daw's orchestra.

9:30—W-G-N—Shoot the Works, quiz.
W51C—Musical Melange.
WCFL—Red Hot and Low Down.
WIND—Nine-thirty Edition.
WENR—Christmas music.

9:45—WBBM—The Hank Keene show.
WENR—Norman Barry, news.
WIND—News of the World [C].

10 **—W-G-N—The Answer Man.**
W59C—News bulletins.
W51C—Special Christmas prog.
WMAQ—Irene Rich, drama.
WENR—World's Finest Music.
WIND—The Symphonic hour.
WGES—All-Slavic Yule party.
WBBM—Listening Post, news.
WCFL—News Roundup.

10:05—W59C—Modern Composers.

10:15—W-G-N—Chicago at Night.
W59C—Rumba Time, music.
WBBM—Pat Flanagan, sports.
WMAQ—Cleve Conway, news.

10:30—W-G-N—News reports.
W59C—Rhythm Rendezvous.
WENR—Hal Totten on Sports.
WCFL—Music Lovers' program.
WBBM—Todd Hunter, news.
WMAQ—'Nutcracker Ballet Suite.'

10:45—W-G-N—R. A. Gunnison, news[M].
W59C—Dream Ship, music.
WBBM—Johnny Duffy's orchestra.
WENR—News; Random rhythm.

10:55—W-G-N—News reports.

11 **—W-G-N—Pontifical Christmas Eve Mass [M].**
W59C—Pontifical Christmas Eve Mass [M].
W51C—"Christmas Carol."
WIND—Music for Everybody.
WBBM—News; also WENR.

11:05—WBBM—Children's Christmas Party.

11:15—WENR—Dance program.
WHFC—News Roundup.

11:30—WMAQ—News reports.
WCFL—Club Midnight.

11:35—WMAQ—Mistletoe and Magnolias.
WBBM—Annual Carol concert.

11:55—WENR, WMAQ—News.

12 **—W51C—Midnight dance.**
WENR—Music You Want.
WIND—The Nite Watch to 4.
WCFL—Morning Matinée.
WGES—Christmas Eve Mass.
WBBM—Dance orchestras.
WMAQ—Dance program.
WEDC—Midnight Flyers to 6 a.m.

12:30—WENR—Jack Teagarden's orch.

12:55—WMAQ, WENR—News.

1:00—WMAQ, WENR—J. Walsh's orch.
WBBM—Dance bands to 2 a. m.

1:30—WMAQ, WENR—P. Whiteman's or.

1:55—WMAQ, WENR—News reports.

2:00—WMAQ, WENR—Music Hall.

OLD SCROOGE TO REFORM ON MANY RADIOS

Several Programs Include 'Christmas Carol.'

BY LARRY WOLTERS.

Devotees of Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" will have ample opportunity over the Christmas holidays to hear it on the air. W-G-N is presenting this Christmas classic in serial form daily this week on its Playhouse broadcast at 1:30 p. m. Edmund Gwenn plays the part of the miserly Scrooge.

Ronald Coleman will take the part of Scrooge in another radio version to be presented on WJJD at 10 a. m. tomorrow. WJOB will broadcast this same show at 3 p. m. Thursday. WHIP will present its version at 10 a. m. Christmas morning.

Also on FM Program.

FM listeners can hear "A Christmas Carol" during a special Christmas program from 10 to midnight tonight over W51C. The drama will be given between 11 and 12 o'clock.

For his seventh year Lionel Barrymore will give his Christmas interpretation of Scrooge tomorrow evening. Barrymore will be featured on the Rudy Vallee hour at 9 p. m. over WMAQ-NBC. Vallee will play the part of Bob Cratchit and Dix Davis, a teen aged youngster, Tiny Tim.

Except for rare guest appearances, Lionel Barrymore for years has confined his radio work to this Christmas broadcast. Then, during the last year Lionel visited the Rudy Vallee show occasionally to spar with Brother John, who had become a regular on the Vallee show. When John became ill about a month ago Lionel stepped in and took his brother's place.

This was, in a sense, payment for service previously rendered by John. Several years ago Lionel was forced to cancel his annual appearance because of the sudden death just before Christmas of his wife.

A Seasonal Warning.

Christmas gift radios, manufacturers suggest, should be carefully shielded during the holiday season to prevent tiny foreign objects such as Christmas tree needles, pieces of broken ornaments or mica from sifting into the working parts.

They also warned against draping laurel wreaths, holly, pine cones or other Christmas decorations around the radio unless it has been first wrapped in cellophane or the open section at the back sealed.

Manufacturers suggest careful handling and use of radios so that they will serve longer. The radio industry, already deep in defense production, will be increasingly occupied with the war program next year.

Dr. Ray H. Manson, general manager of the Stromberg-Carlson company and a member of the Office of Production Management radio committee, stated yesterday that more than one billion dollars will be spent by the government on radio and communications equipment next year. He said this represented six times the cost of production for home receiving sets last year.

MOST OFFICES IN CITY CLOSING FOR CHRISTMAS

All city, county, and federal courts and most governmental offices will take a holiday tomorrow, Christmas day. Administrative offices, including those of relief and WPA, the park district, school board, sanitary district, city, and county will close. The Federal Bureau of Investigation will remain open, as will the coroner's office.

Illinois State Employment service offices will be closed, and unemployment compensation benefit claimants scheduled to report tomorrow should report Friday instead.

Institutions closing include the public library and all its branches, the Shedd aquarium, the Chicago Historical society museum, the Field museum, and the Adler planetarium. The planetarium also will be closed today.

The Lincoln and Garfield park conservatories will be open from 8 a. m. to 10 p. m., the Lincoln park zoo from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., and the Art institute from noon to 5 p. m. Postal service will be on the usual holiday basis, with only special delivery and perishable packages being delivered. Two collections will be made from letter boxes.

Pope Grants Priests Right of Dispensations for War

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—CBS said the Vatican City radio broadcast today that Pope Pius XII has conceded "to all local ordinaries, of whatever rank, for the duration of the present war the faculty to grant, according to their prudent judgment, for the territory of their jurisdiction a general dispensation from the laws of abstinence and fast of the church." Ash Wednesday and Good Friday are exceptions.

COMMANDER MACLANE RAISED TO CAPTAIN'S RANK IN COAST GUARD

Captain MacLane.

Commander Gordon Whiting MacLane, chief of staff to Capt. Thomas A. Shanley, senior coast guard officer for the 9th naval district, has been promoted to the rank of captain, it was announced yesterday. The promotion provides the Chicago coast guard district with two captains for the first time in history.

Capt. MacLane, who lives at 1408 Lake street, Evanston, came to Chicago in 1937 after commanding the cutter Champlain on ice patrol in the North Atlantic. He received special commendation for initiating the search which lead to the finding of the lost dirigible, Akron, and he also holds the Victory medal for services in the first World war.

Capt. MacLane has a son, Ensign Gordon Hite MacLane, who is on active duty with the coast guard.

NURSERY CHORUS WILL SING CAROLS ON W-G-N TODAY

Young Voices to Float Out Over Avenue.

The Chicago Nursery and Half Orphanage chorus of 35 young but experienced singers ranging in age from 9 to 16, will be heard in a program of Christmas carols on W59C and the Mutual network at 5 o'clock this evening. The program will also be heard in the Michigan avenue area from powerful amplifiers placed high on Tribune Tower. Soloist of today's broadcast will be Attilio Baggiore, W-G-N operatic tenor who has been featured many times this year on the Chicago Theater of the Air operettas. Baggiore's solo will be Franck's hymn "Panis Angelicus."

The complete program follows:

1. Gesu Bambino ..... Yon
   The Holly and the Ivy ..... Traditional
   Leonard Salvo, Organ.
2. [a] Adeste Fideles ..... Traditional
   [b] The Angel's and the Shepherd's ..... Traditional
   [c] Angels We Have Heard on High ..... Traditional
   [d] Away in a Manger ..... Traditional
   Chicago Nursery and Half Orphanage Children's Chorus.
3. Children's Suite ..... Ansell
   String Orchestra.
4. Panis Angelicus ..... Franck
   Attilio Baggiore, Tenor.
5. The Cherry Tree Carol ..... Traditional
   What Child Is This ..... Traditional
   Leonard Salvo, Organ.
6. [a] Deck the Halls with Boughs of Holly ..... Traditional
   [b] Everywhere, Everywhere, Christmas Tonight ..... Traditional
   [c] The First Noël ..... Traditional
   [d] Hark, The Herald Angels Sing ..... Traditional
   Chicago Nursery and Half Orphanage Children's Chorus.
7. Maria's Cradle Song ..... Reger
   String Orchestra.
8. When Christ Was Born on Earth ..... Traditional
   Sleep, My Little One ..... Traditional
   Leonard Salvo, Organ.
9. [a] He is Sleeping in a Manger ..... Traditional
   [b] Here We Come a-Wassailing ..... Traditional
   [c] It Came Upon the Midnight Clear ..... Traditional
   [d] Joy to the World ..... Traditional
   Chicago Nursery and Half Orphanage Children's Chorus.

THEME: Jingle Bells.

The Mutual network will carry today's carol program, which will originate in the studios of W-G-N, from 5 to 5:15 p. m.

4 IN ALIMONY ROW RELEASED FOR CHRISTMAS

Judge Thomas J. Lynch yesterday gave four inmates of the county jail's alimony row their freedom for a Christmas present. Each of the four, previously committed by Judge Lynch and called before him yesterday, promised to meet the support payments ordered by the court.

Among those released was Francis Duncan, 38 years old, a professional pianist who was committed Oct. 6 for being $50 in arrears on support payments to his wife, Myrtle, for their son, Leslie, 7.

Milton Mlynlec, 28, who ow

BOOKS

New Light Shed on Hollywood in Sharp Analysis

"Hollywood," by Leo C. Rosten. [Harcourt-Brace, $4.] Published Nov. 28.

BY FANNY BUTCHER.

Combine a humorist and a research scholar and give him the most sensational material in American life, a research staff, and three years in which to gather and collate his material, and what do you get? The most searching study of that great American phenomenon that any one has ever done—a real sociological record, as important in its field as was "Middletown," written [mostly] as fascinatingly as a novel.

Leo C. Rosten is the laughter-jogging gentleman who, under the pseudonym of Leonard Q. Ross, wrote the famous "The Education of H-Y-M-A-N K-A-P-L-A-N" stories. He is a little like the movie makers, who, he says, find making movies a sort of dream job—more fun than doing anything else. The work of gathering and judging the material for "Hollywood" obviously was so much fun for him that perhaps he might consider the Hyman Kaplan gayeties his real work and "Hollywood" his play work, tho of course it is exactly the other way around.

The pages of "Hollywood" bristle with statistics the way a roused porcupine bursts out with quills, but never have statistics been used more entertainingly. They are so painless that the reader little realizes what an infinitude of research went into the gathering of all of them, so illuminating that he never feels like shouting—as one does so often in books full of vital [and too often unvital] figures—"I'll take the turkey and let the stuffing go."

For entertainment as well as good solid information about the wackiest of all American institutions, don't miss "Hollywood," but don't be surprised if you find a lot of your notions about it undetermined by facts.

Lincoln in Pictures.

"Lincoln, His Life in Photographs," by Stefan Lorant. [Duell, Sloan & Pearce, $3.] Published Dec. 16.

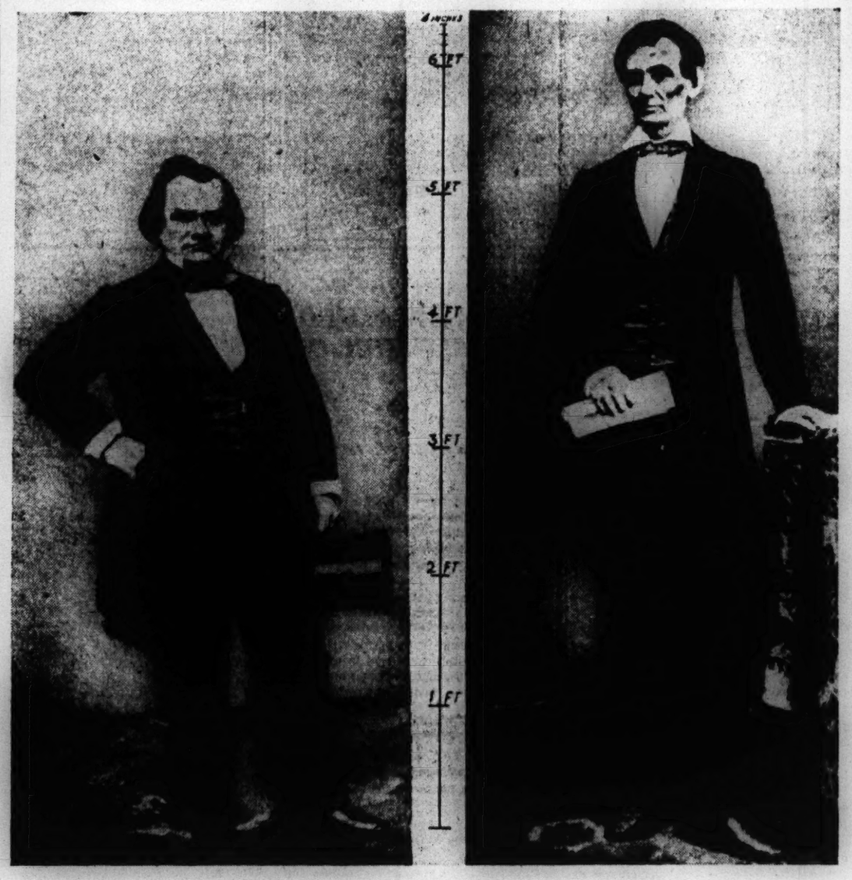
Almost something new under the sun is this book of photographs of Abraham Lincoln, of the men whom he knew and admired, worked with, and fought against, and scenes connected with his life.

For it applies to history and biography the modern technique of picture journalism.

Just as if one of the smart young journalistic photographers of today had gone out and snapped the material, the photographs in this book are arranged to give a record of Lincoln's life. There are more than 400 pictures, including more than 100 portraits of Lincoln. Some of them are here published for the first time. All of them have an immediacy of appeal.

The first complete bibliography of Lincoln pictures is here also, and all sorts of other interesting data.

The 'Little Giant' and Lincoln: A Study in Heights



This comparison of the heights of Stephen A. Douglas (left), the "little giant," and Abraham Lincoln is from Stefan Lorant's "Lincoln, His Life in Photographs," reviewed in adjoining column.

A Christmas Wish from Your Literary Editor

If I could give each one of my readers a personal Christmas gift it would be the book which would precisely and richly fulfill that person's need. There is such a book, never doubt that. Men's blood has been spilled on battlefields only to color poppies and the faint pink of the spring hepatica, their names forgotten and their maps, so tragically made, redrawn by other blades. Much ink also has been spilled and forgotten, but when it is mixed with the life blood of a genius, an immortal fire is struck at which mankind forever may warm his heart. The great books are man's strength and his dream, his solace and his hope, the mortal segment of the everlasting life. I would wish each of you your share this Christmas of that life giving stream.

FANNY BUTCHER.

Your Literary I. Q.

Let us suppose that certain famous literary characters have decided to use the advertising columns of THE TRIBUNE. Below are eight unclassified ads, some of which were actually run by fictional figures and some of which merely might have been. The names of the advertisers are omitted, but can you identify them anyhow? Four correct answers is par. Answers are elsewhere on this page.

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LUMBER—Finest in Atlanta at bargain rates. Office and mill located on Peachtree Road. 4.

OUR SHOP IS HAUNTED by the ghosts of all great literature in hosts; we sell no fakes or trashes. Lovers of books are welcome here, no clerks will babble in your ear, please smoke —,but don't drop ashes. 5.

THIRSTY? Next time you're in Raveloe stop in at the Rainbow Inn for a mug of ale. 6.

WANTED TO BUY—A typewriter costing about twelve pounds. I must have instructions with it, since I am a lady with absolutely no business experience. 7.

WOMEN OF ATHENS, Sparta, Thebes, and Corinth! An important massmeeting will be held at dawn tomorrow, in front of the temple of Pallas, at which time a novel plan to end the present war will be announced. 8.

Nation's Rivers Win a Place in 1941 Literature

BY CHARLES LEAVELLE.

Following water—water that goes to the sea—exerts at once a charm and a compelling force upon those who have lived along side it or have been borne upon it. This year flowing water means something more than charm; it means transportation to a nation engaged in a vast war program.

The year's river books—few, but good—assist the layman to an understanding of the meaning and value of inland waterways. In these books the practical, the historical, and the nostalgic are happily intermingled. Here are some of the best:

Master of the Mississippi, by Florence L. Dorsey [Houghton-Mifflin, $3.75.] This is the colorful biography of Henry Miller Shreve, the man who taught the Mississippi to fetch and carry for man. He designed the modern steamboat, invented the snag puller, and cleared the Red river for navigation. Here is stirring, historical reading.

Iowa—The Rivers of Her Valleys, by William Petersen [State Historical Society of Iowa, $3]. Prof. Petersen's valuable contribution to the history of his state and the nation is absorbing and instructive.

Flowing South, by Clark B. Firestone [McBride, $3]. The author recounts with anecdote and moving description his thousands of miles of voyages on American rivers aboard packet steamboats and freighters. He makes you know the river people and their lives.

Waters of the Wilderness, by Shirley Seifert [Lippincott, $2.75]. A fine novel of the early days of St. Louis when the Missouri and the Mississippi were the highways of the howling wilderness. This is a colorful story of George Rogers Clark, the fur trader, and the hostilities of a roaring frontier.

The Shenandoah and Its Byways, by William O. Stevens [Dodd-Mead, $3]. History and color are mingled in this volume about a historic river. And it is good material, too, for the tourist.

Baltimore on the Chesapeake, by Hamilton Owens [Doubleday-Doran, $3.50]. Here is a rousing story of a mellow old city on the eastern seaboard, whose history is also that of a famous waterway; a well done and valuable work.

Three more of the excellent Farrar & Rinehart "Rivers of America" series appeared during the year. They are **The Charles,** by Arthur Bernon Tourtellot; **The Brandywine,** by Henry Seidel Canby, and **The Kaw,** by Floyd Benjamin Streeter [each $2.50]. The series sets out to tell the story of America in terms of its rivers and the civilizations that have grown up along them. The stories are movingly told and are historically exact.

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170,000 Guide Books

You know those excellent guides to motoring in comfort, "Adventures in Good Eating" and "Lodging for the Night," of course. The total for them in 1941 was 170,000 copies.

Best Sellers

FICTION.

The Keys of the Kingdom, by A. J. Cronin.
Saratoga Trunk, by Edna Ferber.
Windswept, by Mary Ellen Chase.
Wild Is the River, by Louis Bromfield.
The Sun Is My Undoing, by Marguerite Steen.
Leaf in the Storm, by Lin Yutang.

NONFICTION.

Reading I've Liked, by Clifton Fadiman.
Berlin Diary, by William L. Shirer.
A Subtreasury of American Humor, edited by E. B. and Katharine S. White.
Inside Latin America, by John Gunther.
Clarence Darrow for the Defense, by Irving Stone.
Secret History of the American Revolution, by Carl Van Doren.

MYSTERIES.

Trial by Fury, by Craig Rice.
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The G String Murders, by Gypsy Rose Lee.
The Third Mystery Book.

"Justice Deferred" ..... By William MacLeod Raine

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INSTALMENT XXXIX.

LOVE BARRIER.

Corbett Carey drove into town with his wife and learned the facts from Fallon, after which he went to the jail and had a talk with Waugh.

Jack said that as soon as he was released he meant to go to Santa Rita and give himself up to Sheriff Wilmore. "I don't think he will hold me long," he concluded. "Tracy attacked Jim brutally on the sidewalk, then came into Samson's store and announced at once that he was going to kill me. Two good witnesses will testify to that, one of them an A C man, a rider by the name of Giddings. Samson is the other.

"Hmp! Samson will probably be enough, but don't bank on Giddings. Brad will get at him. I'll talk with Wilmore and agree to come with you to town. No doubt I can arrange bail there."

Carey got the sheriff on long distance and made an agreement to bring Waugh in next morning. Wilmore talked with the marshal and the latter turned his prisoner over to the owner of the Three Prongs.

"We want you and Fallon to go back with us to the ranch," Carey said. "We'll leave for town in the morning."

"I don't believe we had better do that," Waugh demurred. "Jim and I will join you at the Three Prongs after breakfast."

Mrs. Carey seconded her husband's invitation warmly. Reluctantly Jack consented, only because he was afraid a refusal would offend his friends. He did not want to involve the Careys in any trouble that might arise from the death of Tracy.

He had another reason for not wanting to stay at the ranch. It was better for him, he felt, not to see any more of Mary than he could help. To keep from thinking about her was impossible. Only five times had he seen her, but each occasion was a milestone for him.

All this was nonsense. She and young Ab Clinton were in love with each other. They had the same tastes, friends, ways of life. Both of them had specialized in graceful idleness, whereas he had come to maturity the hard way, thru years of toil and sweat. It was time he stopped cherishing foolish dreams. He had known that from the first. The thing to do was to ride his emotions with a tight curb. This was why he had been so stiff at their meeting in Johnson's drug store. She had let him kiss her, but that did not mean anything nowadays. He must cut her out of his life.

Easy to say, and possible, no doubt, if he were never to see her again. But his first glimpse of her stirred a prickling of the throat. She was standing on the porch with Carl and young Clinton, all three of them laughing at some remark Abner had made. Their young gayety lent point to his resolve. He was too old and too hard to make fun out of small talk as they did.

Mary waved a hand at her parents and came forward to the steps to meet them. Plainly she was surprised to see the Texan and Jim Fallon. Her greeting to Waugh was cool and reserved.

"There has been a little trouble in town," Corbett Carey explained. "So we brought Jack and Jim back here with us."

"Trouble?" Mary echoed. Her glance shifted for a moment to Waugh, then back to her stepfather. "What kind of trouble?"

"Warren Tracy went crazy, after a drinking bout," Carey answered. "He knocked Jim down with the barrel of a sixshooter and tried to kill Jack, who was forced to shoot him in self-defense."

The two young men joined them. They had been out with Mary driving some yearlings from one pasture to another. This was news to them.

"When did this take place?" Abner asked.

"About two hours ago," Waugh replied.

"Is he dead?"

"Yes. He was firing at me when I drew my gun."

"There were two witnesses," the old cattleman corroborated. "Joel Samson and an A C rider who was with Tracy. Fellow by the name of Giddings. They both tell the same story. Tracy went in with a drawn revolver and said he was going to kill Jack."

"But if he had a gun drawn how did you get out of it alive?" Carl asked Waugh.

"I had luck. He missed the first shot."

"No, sir!" denied Fallon. "I heard Shorty tell it. Jack's cool nerve saved him. He made Tracy think I was gonna gun him from behind and flung a box of cartridges at him just as he was firing. The bullet went wild. Then both of them blazed away and Jack got him. It was a pair of deuces to a full house, Shorty says. Tracy had all the cards but he was outgamed and outgeneraled."

"Congratulations, Mr. Waugh," Clinton said. "Tracy was always a vicious bully. You've done the community a service. He is better dead."

Waugh said, with a thin sardonic smile, "I hope the law agrees with you, Mr. Clinton." There was in him an unhappy sickness.

The Texan had been thru the fighting in the Argonne. It had been his business to help wipe out nests of machine gunners in front of him. That had been in the day's work. But this was different. He had invited the enmity of Tracy, and in the end he had rubbed him out. Even tho it had served the man right he could find no cause for congratulation in his victory. He had not come back here to take the law into his own hands. It had always been clear in his mind that he did not want vengeance, but justice. Yet he knew there had grown up in him a hatred of this scoundrel whom he had destroyed. Reprisals would follow, and he would have to kill again or be killed. He had got himself into a dead end from which there seemed no escape.

Moreover, what he had done built a barrier between him and Mary. He was a killer, even tho by no desire of his. There was blood on his hands, and it set him apart from her. She had been on his side, but she would be so no longer.

After dinner the young people played bridge, a set game, Mary and Abner against the other two. To Jack it was clear that a snug, warm intimacy of feeling existed between his opponents, an understanding that excluded the others. He did not know that Mary was stressing this in self-defense to make it clear to him that the kiss she had given him the other night was a casual trifle of not the least importance.

"I have to go to Santa Rita for Katherine Todd's luncheon," Mary announced when the game was finished. "Can I ride in with you, Carl, and come back in the afternoon with you and father? Or will there be room for me?"

"Plenty of room. No use taking two cars in."

Mary had intended to sit beside Carl, who was driving, but Corbett wanted to talk over some ranch business with his son, and she found herself in the back seat with Waugh and Fallon. She and the Texan were both acutely aware of each other's nearness and intent on keeping the conversation casual. Until they reached the outskirts of the city no mention was made of the business which was taking Jack to town.

"You want I should take a double room at the hotel?" Fallon asked.

"Yes," Jack told him. "Wait there for me. If I'm released on bond I'll join you this morning."

"Of course, you will be freed," Mary said. "How can they keep you in jail when it was self-defense?"

[Continued tomorrow.]

I. Q. Answers

1. Hyman Kaplan, in "The Education of Hyman Kaplan," by Leonard Q. Ross.
2. Psmith, in "Leave It to Psmith," by P. G. Wodehouse.
3. "The Pied Piper of Hamelin," by Robert Browning.
4. Mrs. Frank Kennedy [Scarlett O'Hara, in "Gone with the Wind," by Margaret Mitchell.
5. Roger and Helen Mifflin, in "The Haunted Bookshop," by Christopher Morley.
6. John Snell, in "Silas Marner," by George Eliot.
7. Lady Sims, in "The Twelve Pound Look," by James M. Barrie.
8. "Lysistrata," by Aristophanes.

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THE TRIBUNE TRAVELERS' GUIDE

YULETIDE SPIRIT REACHES OUT TO FARAWAY SPOTS

Many Parts of Americas to Celebrate Holiday.

BY FREDERIC BABCOCK.

It begins to look as if there won't be much "peace on earth, good will toward men" for quite a while. But, despite the fact that the 1941 Christmas will find most of the world at war, Chicagoans visiting in other parts of the Americas tonight and tomorrow will see some reminders of the birthday anniversary of the Man of Peace.

Here are a few bulletins from regions that haven't suffered a Christmastime blackout:

Hot Springs to Celebrate.

Hot Springs, Ark., Dec. 23 [Special].—The gloom cast by international wars will be broken tomorrow evening in this federal owned spa with a Yuletide program of carol singing, accompanied by tableaux.

White-robed singers are to gather on the brow of Hot Springs mountain and carry lighted candles down winding paths to a natural amphitheater, intoning carols as they go.

The tableaux, depicting shepherds watching their flocks, the three wise men, and the Nativity scene, will be given on a bluff overlooking Bath House row.

364 Foot Christmas Tree!

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 23 [Special].—For the first time in history the world's tallest tree has been converted into a living Christmas tree, floodlighted for holiday illumination.

It is the 364 foot redwood known as the Founder's tree, and it stands in Humboldt State park, in the Redwood empire north of this city. It will be lighted each evening until Jan. 1. Scientists estimate that the tree was around 60 years old on the day Christ was born.

Grand Canyon, Ariz., Dec. 23 [Special].—The Pulling-in-the-Yule-log celebration, started here several years ago, will be repeated Christmas eve. Heading the parade will be Santa Claus in a sleigh, and he will be followed by carolers, school children, Indians, and pioneers in costume. Special lighting is to give every one a view of the log pulling ceremony.

Cuba in Festive Mood.

HAVANA, Cuba, Dec. 23 [Special].—Present world conditions have not seriously dampened the spirit of this semi-tropical city. Horse racing, golfing, jai alai, and swimming are among the sports going on as usual. The Nacional Casino will open with a dinner-dance this evening.

HAMILTON, Bermuda, Dec. 23 [Special].—Gombeys, wakes, and cassava pie head Bermuda's Christmas story. Lacking the snow and ice of other countries, Bermudians have developed island traditions for their holidays. Gombey dancers, brilliantly attired, go thru weird tribal routines reminiscent of the African jungles. Wakes are colored singers who serenade the rest of the population early on Christmas morning. The roots of Bermuda-grown cassava are used as the basis of a meat pie that has the same relation to Christmas on these islands as the turkey has to Thanksgiving day in the United States.

Puerto Rico Has Holiday.

SAN JUAN, P. R., Dec. 23 [Special].—Puerto Rico will celebrate its principal holiday Jan. 6, the Day of the Three Kings. On the eve of that day the children will fill boxes with grass, with the expectation of finding candy and other gifts in the boxes the following morning.

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23 [Special].—As in former years, Mexico is observing the Christmas season with the "Posadas," a nine day prelude which symbolizes Mary's and Joseph's search for shelter before the birth of Jesus.

In accordance with this custom, family groups, young people, and even social clubs set out with lighted candles to find a lodging for the Christchild. At each of the first eight households visited they are turned away, but, by pre-arrangement, they are admitted to the ninth home. Dining and dancing follow.

On Christmas eve, the ninth night of Las Posadas, the celebrants enter a house and place an image of the Christ-child in the arms of the Virgin Mary figure standing in the center of a small manger scene in the parlor.

South America Differs.

LIMA, Peru, Dec. 23 [Special].—Christmas observances in South American countries—and especially those countries lying south of the equator—seem strange to visitors from the north.

In the first place, the holiday comes at a time when gardens and patios are filled with flowers, when beach and lake resorts are at the height of their season, and when straw hats are the order of the day.

In the second place, until recently Christmas in the southern republics has not been celebrated with family parties and gift giving, except by members of the foreign colonies. Rather it has been a day for religious observance and for gifts to charitable institutions.

Northern Customs Adopted.

In the last few years, however, many of the customs of northerners have been adopted by South Americans. This change has been brought about largely by the exchange of ideas by visitors and travelers. In many parts of the west coast countries that have large Indian populations the holidays are now observed from Dec. 24 to Jan. 6. Thus they include everything from the birth of Christ to the journey of the Three Kings to Bethlehem with their gifts of frankincense and myrrh.

In Lima, where Christmas is called "Pascua," there are both stately religious ceremonies and gay parades.

When Co-eds Go Western

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

North shore girls—Miss Julia Craig of Winnetka, Miss Joyce Sweet of Evanston, and Miss Constance Tippens of Winnetka—on a dude ranch near Tucson, Ariz. All three are students at the University of Arizona.

TRAVEL QUERIES ANSWERED

What's your travel problem? Address queries regarding where to go, how to get there, costs, and accommodations to the Travelers' Guide, Chicago Tribune, inclosing stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Please give me a list of places in Upper Michigan that have facilities for winter sports. —D. M.

Blaney Park, Calumet, Copper Harbor, Crystal Falls, Escanaba, Gladstone, Hancock, Houghton, Iron Mountain, Iron River, Ironwood, Ishpeming, Kingsford, Mackinac Island, Manistique, Marquette, Menominee, Munising, Ontonagon, Negaunee, Newberry, Powers, Sault Ste. Marie, Stephenson, and Wakefield.

I have been told that Gatun is the world's largest man-made lake. What information can you give regarding it? —L. R. O'C.

Gatun forms much of the Panama canal. It lies in the valley of the Chagres river, and at its normal level is 85 feet above the Atlantic. Formerly just a stream running thru the republic of Panama, the Chagres was transformed into a lake by the construction of a long, low dam seven miles from the river's mouth. A 285 foot spillway keeps the lake at the proper level and empties the overflow into the old channel. Gatun has an area of 168 square miles and a shoreline of 1,100 miles.

What are the climatic conditions around Mexico City? —W. W.

Except in the rainy season—June, July, August, and September—there is sunshine nearly every day. Temperatures do not vary greatly thruout the year. The average in Mexico City is 68 degrees. In Cuernavaca, a drive of an hour and a half from the capital, and 2,934 feet lower, the average is 81 degrees.

What is the third largest city in the Americas? —P. F.

Buenos Aires. New York and Chicago are first and second.

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SMILIN' JACK—ARMOR PIERCED BY AMOUR

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OKAY, BOSS MAN!
12-24
BOSS MAN? MOTHER, YOU CERTAINLY HAVE CHANGED! YOU'RE AS MEEK AS A TWO-CYLINDER PUTT-PUTT AROUND JACK!
YEP, YER MAW AIN'T TH' BARBED-WIRE MAN-HATER SHE USED TO BE—I CAN'T UNDERSTAND IT!?
ZACK MOSLEY
I THINK I DO--I KNOW YOU AN' JACK WERE JUST PRETENDIN' TO BE IN LOVE--BUT I THINK IT'S TURNED OUT TO BE TH' REAL THING!
I'M AFRAID YOU'RE RIGHT--BUT IT'S STILL JUST AN ACT WITH JACK--I MEAN ABSOLUTELY NOTHING TO HIM!
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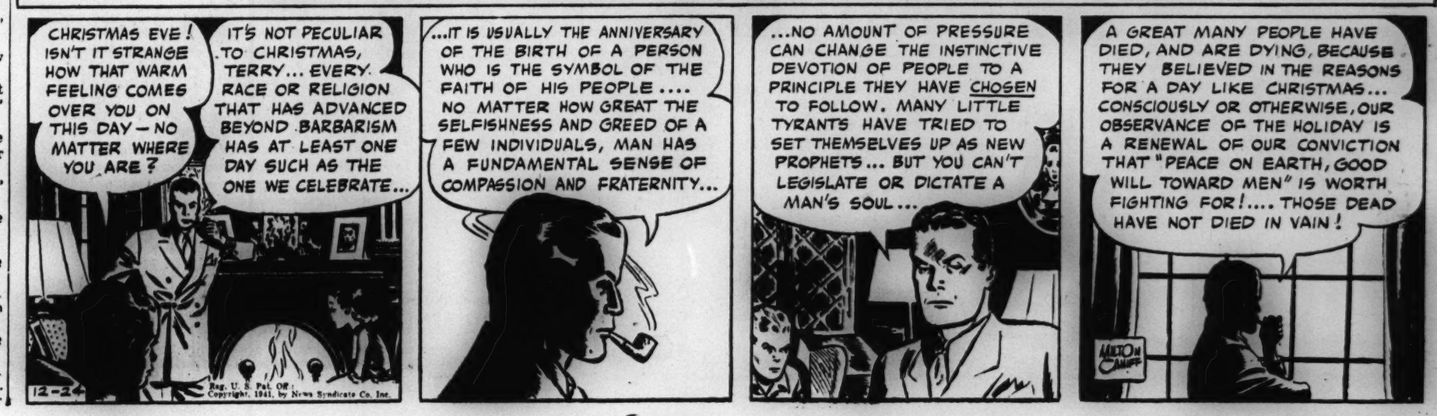
TERRY AND THE PIRATES—'WE WALK BY FAITH, NOT BY SIGHT'


CHRISTMAS EVE! ISN'T IT STRANGE HOW THAT WARM FEELING COMES OVER YOU ON THIS DAY—NO MATTER WHERE YOU ARE?
IT'S NOT PECULIAR TO CHRISTMAS, TERRY... EVERY RACE OR RELIGION THAT HAS ADVANCED BEYOND BARBARISM HAS AT LEAST ONE DAY SUCH AS THE ONE WE CELEBRATE...
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...IT IS USUALLY THE ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF A PERSON WHO IS THE SYMBOL OF THE FAITH OF HIS PEOPLE.... NO MATTER HOW GREAT THE SELFISHNESS AND GREED OF A FEW INDIVIDUALS, MAN HAS A FUNDAMENTAL SENSE OF COMPASSION AND FRATERNITY...
...NO AMOUNT OF PRESSURE CAN CHANGE THE INSTINCTIVE DEVOTION OF PEOPLE TO A PRINCIPLE THEY HAVE CHOSEN TO FOLLOW. MANY LITTLE TYRANTS HAVE TRIED TO SET THEMSELVES UP AS NEW PROPHETS... BUT YOU CAN'T LEGISLATE OR DICTATE A MAN'S SOUL...
A GREAT MANY PEOPLE HAVE DIED, AND ARE DYING, BECAUSE THEY BELIEVED IN THE REASONS FOR A DAY LIKE CHRISTMAS... CONSCIOUSLY OR OTHERWISE, OUR OBSERVANCE OF THE HOLIDAY IS A RENEWAL OF OUR CONVICTION THAT "PEACE ON EARTH, GOOD WILL TOWARD MEN" IS WORTH FIGHTING FOR!.... THOSE DEAD HAVE NOT DIED IN VAIN!
MILTON CANIFF

GOV. GREEN RAPS DEMOCRATS FOR PLAYING POLITICS

Assails Party Blocking of Vital Defense Bills.

BY PERCY WOOD.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 23.—Gov. Dwight Green and his legislative leaders today assailed Democrats for "playing politics" in their opposition to certain sections of the defense special session program.

"I can't account for Democratic opposition in any other way," the governor said, "because so far I haven't heard any meritorious argument against the bills they are fighting."

Fresh in the governor's mind was the killing of one house bill, which would have authorized the health department to set up 12 defense zones to combat disease; and the failure to pass two other bills—one to grant the governor a $3,000,000 contingent fund for possible war emergencies, and the other to control handlers of bacteria cultures. Democratic opposition forced postponement of the latter measures, after the start of the roll call showed them far short of the 102 votes necessary for emergency enactment.

Bills Termed Vital.

Speaker Elmer J. Schnackenberg, after a conference with the governor, termed the health bills as vital to defense as any in the session.

"The house heard testimony from experts who stressed the necessity for these measures," he said.

Speaking particularly of the bill to control germ cultures, the speaker added:

"Dangers and threats of sabotage must not be overlooked while we are in a state of war, and with some of our sources of water and food poisoned or contaminated by those who would strike at us from within, I do not think I would like to be in the position of any Democrat who votes against the bills which would prevent such an evil act."

Rep. Reed F. Cutler of Lewistown, chairman of the house executive committee and Rep. Fred W. Rennick of Buda, the governor's floor leader, added similar castigations to those of Schnackenberg and the governor.

Two Measures Passed.

The only important bills which have escaped Democratic opposition are the 5 million dollar appropriation to raise the strength of the Illinois reserve militia to 10,000 officers and men, and a second appropriation of $750,000 for the state council of defense. Every Democrat supported these bills as they completed their legislative course, with passage by the house. Having originated in the senate, they now go to the governor for signature.

The administration's measure for tripling the state highway police force, now composed of 350 men, spent another quiet day on the house calendar, where it is forced to lie because of certain Democratic opposition if taken to a roll call.

The fact that the police bill would create 650 new jobs, and that the germ control bill itemizes 802 new jobs, is believed to be the source of Democratic opposition, altho other arguments against them were advanced on the house floor today

Ten Votes Lacking in Senate.

In the senate, Charles F. Carpentier [R., East Moline], tried twice to put over the governor's $3,000,000 contingent fund bill. He needed 34 votes, but obtained only 24—those of 23 Republicans and 1 Democratic, Nicholas L. Hubbard of Mont Pulaski. Carpentier postponed further consideration, thus keeping the measure alive.

One Republican triumph was recorded in the senate. This came when Thomas E. Keane, [D., Chicago], introduced a resolution asserting that, during the war emergency, it is of utmost importance that "the nation be united in thought and action in order that the final objective of decisive victory be assured."

"We pledge support of the people of Illinois and all its resources and facilities to the government of the United States," the resolution continued, "in maintaining the honor and dignity of our country in the prosecution of the war effort."

Democrats Voted Down.

No sooner had this been read than Majority Leader Arnold T. Benson of Batavia and Sen. Earl B. Searcy [R., Springfield], arose and proposed that the following language be added to the above:

"As so ably enunciated by Gov. Dwight Green and the incumbent Illinois state administration."

Democrats fought this inclusion, but Sen. Richard J. Barr [R., Joliet], who was presiding, ruled that it had been voted in by a voice vote.

Late today the governor said he had not received the formal request of the Chicago city council for a second special session to enact legislation to permit the city to divert $3,000,000 of its share of the 3 cent state gas tax for defense needs. He added that should he accede to this request, he might call the second session to meet next Monday, when both houses resume work in the first session.

LITTLE ORPHAN 'ANNIE: Communion

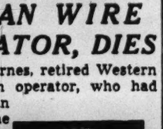
One Name—'Jinx'

JINX FALKENBERG.

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 23 [Special].—In all modesty, says Eugenia [Jinx] Falkenberg, model and film actress, if her name has to appear on theater marquees, let it be abbreviated for the sake of electrical economy. For that reason and also because she likes the idea even without a reason, Miss Falkenberg today filed a petition in Superior court to legalize "Jinx" as her full and complete name and surname. Miss Falkenberg set forth in her petition that she is about to appear as the leading lady in the film, "Professional Model," based on her own experiences, for Columbia studio.

GEORGE BARNES, VETERAN WIRE OPERATOR, DIES

George W. Barnes, retired Western Union telegraph operator, who had spent more than 30 years in the telegraphic press room of THE TRIBUNE, died yesterday after an illness of five weeks. He was 74 years old. He retired in 1937 after 56 years of employment with the telegraph company.



George W. Barnes.

During Mr. Barnes' long career as a news telegrapher at THE TRIBUNE he had tapped out and received many of the world's greatest newspaper stories. His associates recalled he was calmest when the story was biggest. E. T. Jones, Western Union traffic manager, lauded Mr. Barnes as "one of the outstanding press telegraph operators."

Mr. Barnes was born in Kalamazoo, Mich. He started out as a messenger boy in 1881. In 1883 he became a telegrapher, which he remained for 54 years. While working in Texas, he starred in amateur baseball. Mr. Barnes came to Chicago in 1891 where his skill won him assignments to press services, and eventually, permanent assignment at The Tribune. Mr. Barnes was a widower. A son, Arthur H. Barnes, 8829 Harper avenue, survives.

BERT JOHNSON, ACTIVE IN LODGE LIFE, DIES AT 51

Bert Warren Johnson, who was prominent in fraternal organizations and executive secretary of the Greater Chicago lodge No. 3, Loyal Order of Moose, died of a heart ailment yesterday in his home at 401 Fullerton parkway. He was 51 years old.

Mr. Johnson had held his executive position with the Chicago lodge since its organization in 1920. In 1939 and 1940 he was supreme governor of the Loyal Order of Moose. He also was a member of Blaney lodge No. 271, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons; Medinah temple; Ancient Accepted Scottish Rite; Marquette Aerie No. 2285, Fraternal Order of Eagles; Golden Rule lodge No. 325, Knights of Pythias; the Tacoma, Wash., lodge No. 174, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks; the Kiwanis club; the Art institute and the Field museum.

Surviving are his widow, Margaret; his mother, Mrs. Anna Johnson; two daughters, a son and a grandson.

Services will be held at 8 p. m. Friday in the chapel at 3301 Fullerton avenue under the auspices of the Greater Chicago lodge of Moose. Masonic services will be held at 2 p. m. Saturday in the Scottish Rite cathedral.

MECHANIC BURNED IN BLAST.

Richard Boresma, 30 years old, of 11038 South Spaulding avenue, was severely burned yesterday in an explosion of a gasoline tank in a garage at 3300 West 111th street, where he is employed as a mechanic. He was taken to the Little Company of Mary hospital.

HORNER ESTATE'S FINAL VALUE IS PLACED AT $108,193

Probate Judge John F. O'Connell yesterday approved a final accounting which placed at $108,193 the estate of former Governor Henry Horner, who died Oct. 6, 1940. The report listed as principal assets $11,150 in currency, $36,091 in securities, $50,000 in treasury notes and $10,751 in insurance. Gov. Horner left the bulk of his estate to two cousins, Robert E. Straus and Henry Horner Straus.

Woman Found Hanged in Basement of Home

Mrs. Emilie Hagenberg, 46 years old, was found hanged in the basement of her home at 7132 South Paulina street yesterday. A daughter, Charlotte, 21, found the body.

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COMMANDER OF FT. CUSTER DIES IN AUTO WRECK

Col. Phinney in Crash on Southwest Hwy.

Col. Robert T. Phinney, post commander at Fort Custer, Mich., and a veteran army officer with a record of active combat service, was fatally injured yesterday when his automobile collided with a car driven by an army private from Fort Sam Houston, Tex. The accident occurred at Southwest highway and 131st street, four blocks south of Palos Park.

Col. R. T. Phinney.

Col. Phinney, who was 62 years old, died in the Silver Cross hospital, Joliet, where his wife, Ruth, 56, who was slightly injured, also was taken. Private Frank Corsini, 22, of South Wilmington, Grundy county, driver of the other car, was also slightly injured.

The Phinneys were driving west in 131st street when they reached Southwest highway, a mandatory stop.

Driver's Story of Crash.

Private Corsini was traveling northeast in Southwest highway. He told police that a large truck just ahead and to one side of the Phinney car apparently cut off the colonel's vision, and that the officer drove upon the highway in front of his machine.

Col. Phinney's military career covered 39 years. Born in Vermont and graduated from Norwich university, he entered the army as a second lieutenant in 1902. He saw action with the 3d division at the second battle of the Marne in the first World war and further action with the 90th division at St. Mihiel and the Argonne. He won the Silver Star and Oak Leaf cluster decorations.

Last March he was transferred from Fort Sill, Okla., where he was senior National Guard instructor, to Fort Custer.

Col. Phinney's home was in Oklahoma City, Okla. He leaves, in addition to his widow, a son, Robert Jr., an airways official in Oklahoma City, and a daughter, Mrs. Frederick M. Kirkland, on the staff of a magazine.

Wife, 22, Dies in Collision.

Mrs. Geraldine Lane, 22, of 4122 Carroll avenue, was fatally injured last night when the automobile in which she was riding collided with a mail truck at Arthington street and Keeler avenue. Her husband, Alfred, 25, who was driving the car, and their son, William, 3, were injured but not seriously. Police said the Lanes' car had no license plates. The mail truck was driven by Harry Jacobson of 4722 Ferdinand street.

Robert Bohn, 12, son of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Bohn, 616 Taft street, Gary, Ind., was killed when a car in which he rode, driven by Mrs. Daniel Kreitzman, collided with a truck at the intersection of Cleveland street and Lincoln highway, south of Gary. Police are seeking the truck driver, who is believed to have wandered away, apparently dazed.

Young Model Killed.

Miss Margaret O'Malley, a clothing model, died yesterday in County hospital of injuries suffered when her car overturned three times in front of 2671 Warren boulevard. She was 22 years old, the daughter of Patrick J. O'Malley, a real estate dealer, and lived at 4243 Sheridan road. Police attributed the accident to slippery pavement.

August Herzog, 58, of 9800 South Rutherford avenue, Oak Lawn, was killed by an automobile at 95th street and Ridgeland avenue. The driver was Clifford Dean, 31, of 6923 West 97th street, Worth township.

Up to 4 p. m. yesterday, 943 persons had been killed by automobiles in Cook county since Jan. 1. Of these, 665 were killed in Chicago where 25,855 were injured in the same period.

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OBITUARIES

Stanley Steger.

The funeral of Stanley Steger, who died suddenly early yesterday at Alexian Brothers hospital, will be held at 9:30 a. m. Friday morning from the chapel at 2353 Chicago avenue to St. Helen's Catholic church at Augusta boulevard and Western avenue. Burial will be in St. Adalbert's cemetery.

Mr. Steger was 63 years old. He retired several years ago after many years in the shoe business. Surviving are four sons, seven daughters and the widow. Two of the sons are A. J. Steger of THE TRIBUNE'S editorial staff and John W. Steger of the photographic staff. The home is at 1043 North Hoyne avenue.

Harry Rosenfeld.

Funeral services for Harry Rosenfeld, 66 years old, of 7739 Eastlake terrace, will be held at 2 p. m. today at 5206 Broadway. Mr. Rosenfeld died Monday. He had been a resident of Chicago for 22 years and formerly lived in Toronto, Ont. Surviving are his widow, two sons, and a daughter.

Joseph Vial.

Joseph Vial, 89 years old, who was for many years treasurer of the schools of Lyons township, died last night in his home at 444 South La Grange road, La Grange. Four daughters and three sons survive. Services will be held in the residence at 2:30 p. m. Friday.

Dr. Walter Lindsay Niles.

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—Dr. Walter Lindsay Niles, 63 years old, dean of Cornell university medical college here from 1919 to 1928 and founder of the institution's "dollar-a-call" clinic, died last night after suffering a cerebral hemorrhage Saturday.

JOHN H. CORNYN, AUTHOR, TEACHER DIES IN MEXICO

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 23 [Special].—John Hubert Cornyn, archaeologist, educator and newspaperman, died here today. He was born in Wingham, Ont., Can., 66 years ago and studied abroad after being graduated from the University of Toronto.

He was a newspaperman in Toronto, New York, Cuba, and Mexico, a high school principal here and a professor of languages at the National University of Mexico and Birmingham [Ala.] Southern college, and Southwestern university, was managing editor of various Mexican papers and head of THE CHICAGO TRIBUNE'S Mexico City bureau from 1920-32.

He also was owner and manager of the Quetzacoatl Palace, tourist hotel here, a member of a number of learned societies, and author of many books. He was unmarried.

Warn That Auto Wreck May End Driving Days

The National Safety council warned motorists yesterday that the most certain way to save their automobiles is to avoid collisions. "Motorists who wreck their cars may not be able to get others," said Col. John Stilwell, council president.

Mrs. Mary Agnes McGeeney.

Services for Mrs. Mary Agnes McGeeney, widow of Edward J. McGeeney, a Chicago undertaker for many years, will be held at 9:30 a. m. today from the chapel at 3246 Jackson boulevard to St. Giles' church. Mrs. McGeeney, who was 77 years old, died Sunday in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Raymond J. Kennedy at 1621 Rutherford avenue. Another daughter, Mrs. William J. White of Detroit, also survives. Mrs. McGeeney, a native of Cleveland, O., carried on the undertaking business for some years after her husband's death. She had lived in Chicago 60 years.

Mrs. Bridget Markby.

Services for Mrs. Bridget Markby, whose husband, Joseph, has been employed by the Chicago Surface Lines for 37 years, will be held at 10 a. m. Friday in St. Laurence's church, 72d street and Dorchester avenue. Mrs. Markby, 60 years old, died Monday in her home at 7439 Kimbark avenue. Surviving besides her husband are two sons and a daughter.

Mrs. Anna M. Voelpell.

Mrs. Anna M. Voelpell, former grand chaplain and a charter member of the International Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, died yesterday at her home, 544 North Hamlin avenue. She was 81 years old. Two daughters, Mrs. Grace Holtz and Mrs. Blanche Hansen, survive.

The Rev. Dr. M. L. Haines.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 23 [Special].—The Rev. Dr. Matthias L. Haines, 91 years old, dean of Indiana's Presbyterian ministers, died today in his home here.

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McGINNIS—Lewis. 10 a. m. at chapel.
ZYPE—Arthur. 2 p. m. in Stone church.
FRIDAY.
SMITH—George. 10 a. m. at chapel.
WALKER—Signe. 2 p. m. at chap.l.
SERVICES TO BE ARRANGED.
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WALDMANN—Simon. 2 p. m. at chapel.
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EDW. LANDSBERG ESTATE VALUED AT 5½ MILLION

An inheritance tax return filed in County court yesterday valued the estate of the late Edward Landsberg, prominent brewing executive, at $5,513,047.

The return placed the federal estate tax at $1,402,348, and the state inheritance tax at $424,500. It listed $350,000 in executor's and attorneys' fees among the expenses of administration, and placed $254,941 in federal income taxes and $52,904 in Cook county personal property taxes among the debts.

The principal holding was shown to be 10,000 shares of stock in the United States Brewing company, of which Landsberg was president. The stock, of $100 par value, is now listed at $380 a share, the report said.

Landsberg, who lived at 4234 Hazel avenue, died last Feb. 20 at 73.

DEATH NOTICES

In Memoriam.

CONFORTI—Alessandro Conforti, Dec. 24, 1933. In fond memory of our father.
BEN AND SUSANNA.

CERVENY—Joseph F. Cerveny, Dec. 24, 1936, and
GIELOW—Fred Gielow, Jan. 12, 1939, beloved son, brother, and husband. "We miss you more and more each day."
EMMA CERVENY GIELOW AND FRANK CERVENY.

DEL PRINCIPE—Elvira Del Principe. To our mother, who passed away two years ago Christmas eve.
THE DEL PRINCIPE FAMILY.

EHLERT—Emilie M. Ehlert. In loving memory of our dear mother, who passed away one year ago today, Dec. 24, 1940.
SON AND DAUGHTER-IN-LAW.

ETCHINGHAM—Mrs. Annie J. Etchingham. Ten years have passed since that sad day. God called you and you went away.
LOVING DAUGHTERS MARGARET, ANN, AND SUE.

KORSHAK—James Korshak. In fond memory of our husband and father, who passed away four years ago today. May he rest in peace.
WIFE, DAUGHTER, AND SON-IN-LAW.

MUELLER—Erwin Mueller. In cherished memory of my dear son.
LOVING MOTHER.

SEGAL—Rose Oliff Segal, Dec. 24, 1930. Gone but not forgotten by
SISTER AND BROTHERS.

SILVER—Jack Silver. In loving memory of our dear brother, who passed away five years ago today, Dec. 12, 1939.
THE JACK SILVER MEMORIAL CLUB.

SILVER—Jack Silver, Dec. 24, 1936. There is a link death cannot sever. Love and remembrance last forever.
LOVING WIFE AND CHILDREN.

WALTER—Agnes Mary Walter. Passed away July 12, 1939.
"We love you and miss you, So rest in peace, beloved, Until we meet again."
LOVING SON AND DAUGHTER-IN-LAW.

ADAMS—Harry T. [Henry] Adams of 2250 W. Cermak road, beloved husband of Bertha [nee Mistling], fond father of Violet, grandfather of Alene. Resting at funeral home, 2130-32 W. 21st street. Services Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 2 p. m. Interment Evergreen. Member of Richard Cole lodge, No. 6967, A. F. & A. M.; Logan chapter, Canal 2659.

ADAMS—William King Adams, Dec. 22, 1941, residence 2021 E. Newberry boulevard, Milwaukee, Wis., husband of Louise Newell Adams, and father of Mrs. Ruth Mayer and Charles William Adams, brother of Mrs. Marion Richheimer and John Yale Adams, both of Chicago. Services at funeral home of Thomas. Jones, and Olson, 1820 E. North avenue, Milwaukee, 2 p. m., Friday. Interment Forest Home cemetery. In state Thursday afternoon and evening.

ANDERSON—Selma Anderson, wife of John A., mother of Harry, Walter, Roy, Irving, and Ruth, sister of Frieda Hamlett and Goldie Greene, grandmother of William, Harry Jr., and Karen. Member of Victoria lodge, No. 7, I. O. V., and Sophia lodge, No. 11. Funeral Wednesday, 2 p. m., from chapel, 79th and Emerald avenue, to Oak Woods.

BAUMANN—Jennie Baumann, beloved sister of Augusta Heppeler, fond sister-in-law of Raymond Heppeler, dear aunt of Raymond Heppeler Jr. Funeral Friday, 10 a. m., at chapel, 712 W. 31st. Interment Evergreen cemetery. Information, Vict. 1158.

BEELEL—See De Marco notice.

BERTRAND—Anna Bertrand, nee Maxa, beloved wife of John B., loving mother of John, sister of Joseph and Louis Maxa, grandmother of Frances Bertrand. Funeral Friday at 9:30 a. m. from her late home, 2911 S. 48th court, to St. Dionysius church. Interment Mount Carmel. Cicero 200.

BINGER—Jessie Binger, Dec. 22, of 525 Bryant avenue, Glen Ellyn, Ill., beloved wife of Henry, fond mother of Charles, Fred, John, Edward, Henry Jr., Emma, and the late William. Services Friday, 2 p. m. at chapel, 493 Main street, Glen Ellyn. Interment Green Ridge.

BOWERS—Eva F. Bowers, fond mother of Ralph, Helen Kaiser, and Frances Beck, grandmother of Dorothy and Russell Kaiser, and Patricia Beck. Remains at chapel, 2449 Lincoln-av. Ottawa, Ill., papers please copy.

BOYINGTON—William Warren Boyington of 1158 S. Oak Park avenue, Oak Park, beloved husband of Jennie M., dear father of W. Robert, Mrs. Marion Di Canio, and Leroy, brother of Mrs. Mabel Lyons, Ralph, and Woodbury. Resting at funeral home, 5708 W. Madison street, where services will be held Friday at 2 p. m. Interment Rosehill. Member of Composite lodge, No. 879, A. F. & A. M.

BRADY—Henry John Brady, husband of the late Margaret Elizabeth Brady, nee Haselton; father of Henry Francis Brady, brother of James, Ted, and Benjamin. Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 9:30 a. m., from chapel, 3159 Madison street, to Queen of Angels church, Sunnyside and Claremont avenues. Interment Calvary. Information Kedzie 0155.

CAMPAGNA—Charles Campagna, late of Minneapolis, Minn., beloved husband of Helen, nee Rice; fond son of Anthony and the late Ida, brother of John, Dr. August, and the late Anthony. Funeral Friday, 9 a. m., from chapel, 624 N. Western avenue, to Holy Rosary church. Interment Mount Carmel. Armitage 7800.

CARROLL—Elizabeth Carroll, nee Sheehan, beloved wife of the late Martin J., fond mother of Thomas, Mary, James, Joseph, Mrs. Josephine Collins, Mrs. Nora Spatz, Mrs. Elizabeth Graham, and the late John Carroll, sister of Mrs. Minnie Grady, Mrs. Anna Nicholson, and Dennis Sheehan. Residence, 4910 Lexington street. Funeral notice later.

CHADWICK—James Chadwick of 120 S. Spaulding avenue, beloved husband of Donna Jeffers Chadwick, fond father of Helen, son of Mrs. Mary Chadwick. Resting at funeral home, 3246 Jackson boulevard, until 1 p. m. Dec. 25. Burial Kempton, Ind. Kedzie 2394.

CHRISTOFFER—Emma Christoffer [nee Zietz] of 2140 W. 21st street, beloved wife of John, fond mother of Edna Runge, John Jr., Charles, and Harry, grandmother of Dorothy Runge and Carol Christoffer, sister of Sophie Hering, Bertha Flebig, and Clara Vander Plaats. Resting at funeral home, 2130-32 W. 21st street, until 12 noon Friday. Services Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m., at St. Matthew's Evangelical Lutheran church, 21st street and Hoyne avenue. Interment Concordia. Canal 2659.

CORNOCK—Mildred Cornock, dearly beloved wife of the late Edward, fond sister of Richard Hankins, Mrs. Nora Mountain, and Mrs. Lena Bunting. Funeral Wednesday, 2 p. m., at funeral home, 820 E. 75th street. Interment Cedar Park. Vincennes 1817.

DEATH NOTICES

COYNE—Anthony Coyne, beloved husband of the late Bridget Agnes Coyne, nee McHugh; loving father of Mrs. J. Frank Duffy of Holland, Mich., and Mrs. Frank R. Murphy, fond grandfather of J. Frank Jr. and Eleanor J. Duffy of Holland, Mich., Frank R., Richard J., William E., Gerald T., and Mary Frances Murphy, native of Derrylough, County Galway, Ireland. Funeral from his late residence, 3011 N. Mason avenue, Friday, Dec. 26, at 9:30 a. m., to St. Ferdinand's church, where requiem high mass will be celebrated at 10 a. m. Interment Calvary cemetery. Austin 8020.

CRAVEN—Harry W. Craven of 718 Clark street, Evanston, husband of Grace D. Craven, father of William H. Craven, brother of Mrs. Theodora Hazzard of Mount Vernon, N. Y., Miss Jane Craven of Paris, France, and Dr. N. B. Craven. Services Wednesday at 2:30 p. m. at chapel, 1460 Sherman avenue, Evanston. Interment Memorial Park.

CROOKS—Katharine Crooks, Dec. 22, 1941, at King-Bruwaert House, Hinsdale, Ill. Burial service at Bronswood cemetery, Hinsdale, 10 a. m. Wednesday.

CURRIE—See Mary Gettemy notice.

DE LUCA—Grace DeLuca [nee Lamonaco], late of 825 Cabrini street, beloved wife of Nick, fond mother of Frank, Mike, Florence Palumbo, and Angelina Elobra, grandmother of 13 grandchildren. Funeral from chapel, 813 W. Taylor street, Friday, 9 a. m., to Guardian Angel church. Interment Mount Carmel. Haymarket 3804 and Monroe 0449.

DE MARCO—Salvatore De Marco, late of 5916 S. Komensky avenue, beloved son of Anthony and Elisabeth, nee Beelel; brother of Grace. Funeral Friday, 9 a. m., from chapel, 1703 W. 69th street, to St. Nicholas of Tolentine church. Information, Prospect 0600.

DEL RUSSO—See Joseph Mack notice.

DSIDA—Lawrence Dsida, beloved husband of Katharine, nee Wolf; dear father of Richard, Anton, Lawrence, Julia Einweller, Mary, Katherine, Clara, and Florence, five grandchildren. Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 1 p. m. at chapel, 7032 Wentworth avenue. Interment Oak Woods.

DUFFY—See Anthony Coyne notice.

ENGSTROM—Christina Engstrom, nee Anderson, Dec. 22, late of 3632 Wilton avenue, beloved mother of Hulda Erickson, brother and two sisters in Sweden. Funeral Friday, 2 p. m., at chapel, 3178 N. Clark street. Interment Rosehill. Member of Ladies of Independence.

GEE—Allison Gee, 9412 S. Francisco avenue, Evergreen Park, beloved wife of Arthur, loving mother of Bennie, Linton, and Mary. Resting at chapel, 2955 W. 95th street. Services Friday, Dec. 26, at 2 p. m. Interment Mount Hope cemetery. Information Evergreen Park 7010.

GETTEMY—Mary Gettemy, beloved wife of the late Oscar, fond mother of Edna Bellis, Mabel Gowdy, Ina Currie, Laura Planck, and Guy Gettemy. Resting at chapel, 4821 N. Damen-av. Funeral Friday at 1 p. m. at Monmouth, Ill. Interment Kirkwood.

GOELDEL—George J. Goeldel, late of 6823 S. Morgan street, beloved husband of Frances E., nee Hartl; son of the late John and Anna, brother of Anna and the late Thomas. At funeral home, 7013 S. Racine avenue. Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 9 a. m., to Sacred Heart church. Interment St. Boniface. Stew. 0460.

GOLDEN—Samuel Golden, age 76, brother of Max, uncle of Joseph, James, Jennie, Sally, Lily, and Frances Hefferman. Funeral Wednesday, 2 p. m., at chapel, 3021 W. Fullerton avenue. Welfare lodge, No. 991, A. F. & A. M. Information, Belmont 8120.

GOWDY—See Mary Gettemy notice.

GRENES—John Grenes, Dec. 21, 1941, of 6855 S. Talman avenue, beloved husband of Mary. Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, at 1:30 p. m., at chapel, 6812 S. Western avenue. Interment Lithuanian National cemetery. Cicero 2109.

GRUBICH—Mary Grubich, beloved wife of Dimitar, fond mother of Michael, sister of Mrs. Mildred Grozdanich. Funeral Friday, Dec. 26, from chapel, 6217 S. Ashland avenue, at 9 a. m. to Holy Resurrection church, 1905 W. Schiller street. Interment St. Sava's cemetery, Libertyville, Ill. Information, Prospect 0400.

HELLER—Herman Heller, beloved husband of Marie, dear father of Minnie Nusko, Martha Neuen, and Estelle Jacoby, fond brother of Julia Schallinger, Helen Kampel, Bernard, Alvina Strass, and the late Ignatz, Mitzie Klemperer, Sigmund, and Max, dear grandfather of Janice Jacoby, Barbara Frida. 11 a. m., at chapel, 5206 Broadway. Interment O. B. A., Waldheim.

HUEBSCH—Richard Huebsch, beloved son of Marcus and the late Serene, father of Naomi, fond brother of Harry, Erwin, Gertrude Sward, and the late Selma Klein. Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 1 p. m., at chapel, 936 E. 47th street. Family at Southmoor hotel, 67th and Stony Island-av.

HEGELMAIER—Andrew Hegelmaier, 2518 Lawrence avenue, Dec. 22, 1941, husband of the late Elise Hegelmaier, beloved father of William and Emil Hegelmaier and Mrs. Herman Scholl. At chapel, 63d and Harvard, where services will be held Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 2 p. m. Interment Mount Greenwood.

HUBBARD—Mary E. Andrews Hubbard, Dec. 22, beloved wife of Leo, daughter of the late Samuel and Katherine Andrews, sister of Matthew J. Andrews of Rock Island, Ill. Funeral Wednesday, 10:30 a. m., from chapel, Jeffery boulevard at 77th street, to St. Bride's church. Mass at 11 o'clock. Interment Holy Sepulchre. South Shore 8822.

JOHNSON—Bert Warren Johnson of 401 Fullerton parkway, beloved husband of Margaret E., dear father of Jack, Dorothy Conover, and Eileen, son of Anna, brother of Edna Espland, Agnes Miller, and Jean Gooding, grandfather of Warren K. Conover. Services Saturday, 2 p. m., at Scottish Rite cathedral, 935 North Dearborn parkway. Interment Glen Oak cemetery. Loyal Order of Moose services at chapel Friday at 8 p. m. At rest at chapel, 3301 Fullerton avenue, until 11 a. m. Saturday. Member of Greater Chicago lodge, No. 3, L. O. O. M.; Blaney lodge, No. 271, A. F. & A. M.; Medinah temple; Ancient Accepted Scottish rite; Marquette aerie, No. 2285, F. O. E.; Golden Rule lodge, No. 325, K. of P.; Tacoma [Wash.] lodge, No. 174, B. P. O. E.; Kiwanis club, Art institute, and Field Museum of Natural History of Chicago.

JOHNSON—Gertrude Johnson, nee Wallace, wife of Edward W., mother of Edward Jr., daughter of Mrs. Isabelle Schrader, sister of William Schrader. Resting at chapel, 1646 W. 63d street, until Friday noon. Services 2:30 p. m. Friday at Drexel Park Presbyterian church. Interment Oak Hill.

JOHNSON—Samuel H. Johnson, Dec. 22, husband of the late Charlotte, fond father of George, Mrs. Ruth Stenstrom, Mrs. Pauline Johnson, Mrs. Mulkena Fox, Lawrence, and the late Esther; also leaves six grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Funeral Wednesday, 1:30 p. m., at funeral home, 5200 N. Western avenue, corner Foster. Interment Montrose.

KAUFMAN—Pasel Lillian Kaufman of 1518 S. Central Park avenue, wife of the late Benjamin, mother of Meyer, Jake, Willie, Louis, Harry, and the late Hyman, Dorothy Silverstein, Gertrude Joss, Evelyn Kaplan of New York City, and Mae Kaufman. 10 grandchildren. Funeral Wednesday, 2 p. m., at chapel, 3125 W. Roosevelt road. Interment Tiktin cemetery.

KELLER—William A. Keller, Dec. 22, beloved son of Maude Pearson, fond brother of Theodore B. Keller, loving nephew of Elizabeth M. Moses. Member of Court North Chicago, No. 947, I. O. F., and Society of Automotive Engineers. Funeral Friday, 12:30 p. m., at chapel, 3807 Lincoln avenue. Interment Eaton Rapids, Mich.

KING—William James King, Dec. 22, 1941, at the home of his daughter, 937 Lincoln avenue, Highland Park, formerly of 1334 Early avenue, Chicago, husband of the late Cora C. King, father of Harry O. King, of New York City and Bridgeport, Conn., and Agnes Lundin of Highland Park. At rest at chapel, 27 N. Sheridan road, Highland Park, where services will be held 2 p. m., Wednesday, Dec. 24. Interment Rosehill.

KISSICK—Frank P. Kissick, beloved husband of Lillian, brother of Norman J. Kissick and Irene Jackson. Services Wednesday, 3 p. m., at chapel, 720 Lake street, Oak Park. Interment private. Please omit flowers.

KOEPKE—Jennie Koepke of 5510 W. 24th place, Cicero, beloved wife of Anton L., dear mother of John, sister of Agnes Palacz, Eva Kussman, and Joseph Gozdicke, grandmother of John Jr. Funeral Dec. 26, at 10 a. m., at chapel, 5128-30 W. 25th street, Cicero. Interment Woodlawn. Cic. 80.

LANGE—See Private James Pikoulas notice.

LITWILER—Fannie Litwiler, nee Schrauer, beloved sister of Mrs. George Hess, Mrs. Mathilda Schenaker, Henry, and Jeanette Schrauer. Late member of Chipilly unit, No. 310, of American Legion auxiliary. Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 24, at 2 p. m., at chapel, 936 E. 47th street.

LUNDH—Herman Lundh, late of 3306 Warner avenue, dearly beloved husband of Anna, nee Nielsen; fond father of Alfred, Viola, June, and the late Earl, brother of Axel and Anton. Funeral Wednesday, 1:30 p. m., from chapel, 3834-36 Irving Park road. Interment Mount Olive cemetery.

MACK—Joseph Mack, age 5 months, beloved son of Pat and Margaret, nee Del Russo; grandson of Mrs. C. Friedman, nee Staley. Funeral Friday, 9 a. m., from residence, 2834 S. Wallace street, to St. Anthony's church. Interment Mount Carmel. Victory 1361.

MARCIE—See Private James Pikoulas notice.

MARKBY—Bridget Markby [nee Harrison], Dec. 22, beloved wife of Joseph, fond mother of Richard, Joseph, and Mrs. John J. Feeney, sister of Mrs. Jane Hayden and the late John J. Harrison, grandmother of Kathleen Markby. Native of County Kildare, Ireland. Funeral from residence, 7439 Kimbark avenue, Friday, 9:30 a. m., to St. Laurence church. Interment Holy Sepulchre.

DEATH NOTICES

MASTER—Albert L. Master, beloved husband of Helen Kaminsky Master, fond father of Edward, William, Raymond, Carl, George, Fred, Herman, Amos, Bertha Master, and Walter Brasulis, dear brother of August, Charles, Fred, Ernest, Mary

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THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 24, 1941.

Families Gather Tonight Around Home Hearths

BY JUDITH CASS.

WHILE carolers chant in the streets tonight most Chicago clubs will be dark and desolate. Few parties have been planned for either today or tonight. Instead, families will gather around their hearths to trim Christmas trees, to hang mistletoe, and—in some homes—to open their Christmas gifts.

One of the nicest presents the Ernest S. Ballards of Hubbard Woods will receive tomorrow morning will be the arrival from the east of their son, Joseph D., and his fiancée, Miss Barbara Brown. Miss Brown's engagement to Mr. Ballard was announced in New York yesterday by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richmond L. Brown of Greenwich, Conn. She is in her sophomore year at Vassar college. Mr. Ballard is serving with the ordnance department of the United States army.

The Ballards and Browns Friends of Long Standing.

The Ballards and the Browns are friends of long standing, for their summer homes in Maine adjoin. Miss Brown and Miss Mary Ballard were schoolmates at Chatham hall and Miss Brown's sister, Miss Margaret, was a bridesmaid for Susan Ballard at her marriage to Stewart Boal. Miss Margaret has visited her several times, but this will be Miss Barbara's first Chicago visit.

She and her fiancé will be here until Saturday, just before the end of Mr. Ballard's leave. No parties have been planned for them, but she will meet many of the Ballards' friends at the Ayres Boals' eggnog party tomorrow afternoon. Miss Brown made her debut last year. Mr. Ballard studied at the Choate school and at Trinity college.

The Ballards' other two children, Miss Mary and Mr. Ballard Jr., are both at home from school for the holidays. Miss Mary arrived from Smith college last Saturday morning and on Saturday afternoon while riding with the Longmeadow hunt fell and broke her collar bone. Needless to say, her Christmas will be a quiet one. Young Mr. Ballard has been studying at the Harvard law school but will enter the midshipmen's school at Abbott hall in January.

Announce Engagement of Mary Augusta Coy.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman L. Coy of Libertyville, formerly of Cloquet, Minn., announce the engagement of their daughter, Mary Augusta, to John F. Pritchard Jr. of Evanston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pritchard of Kansas City, Mo. Miss Coy was graduated from the Masters school in Dobbs Ferry, N. Y., and from Smith college. She is a member of the Duluth Junior league. Mr. Pritchard is a graduate of Princeton university and the Harvard school of Business Administration.

Winnetka residents will pause in the midst of trimming trees and wrapping packages this afternoon to sing carols at dusk on the village green. The community sing is a beloved Christmas eve custom in Winnetka, sponsored by the Winnetka Woman's club and directed by Herbert E. Hyde, organist at St. Luke's church in Evanston and a Winnetka resident. After the impromptu concert the participants will warm fingers and toes in the Woman's club and sip cups of hot chocolate.

Sally, Elizabeth, and John Hyde Giving Yule Party.

Debutante Sally Hyde and her sister and brother, Elizabeth and John Cole, have cards out for an informal Christmas cheer party on Sunday from 4 to 7 o'clock. The Hyde home is at 112 Church road, Winnetka. Mr. and Mrs. Hyde will not be here for the party, for they are leaving shortly after Christmas for a trip to California.

Christmas eve will be the merrier for some 40 midshipmen from Abbott hall because of a dinner party which a group of residents of 1500 Lake Shore drive and their friends will give for the lads in the vacant penthouse of that building. Dinner will be served buffet style, and there will be music afterward. Miss Seymour Adams has asked a group of debutantes and other friends to assist in the entertaining. Among those who are helping with the party are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph M. Cudahy, the James Ward Thornes, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus H. Adams, the Huntington B. Henrys, Mr. and Mrs. James C. Ames, the Britton I. Budds, Mr. and Mrs. Francis R. Dickinson, Mrs. Rensselaer W. Cox, the Augustus K. Maxwells, Mrs. Warren C. Fairbanks, and the Philip Wrigleys.

Tea-Dance to Introduce Nancy Scribner Today.

The most important party on the debutante calendar today is the Gilbert H. Scribners' tea-dance to introduce their daughter, Miss Nancy. The Scribners and their second daughter will receive from 4 to 7 o'clock at the Indian Hill club.

Miss Frances Hawxhurst, Miss Sue Smith, and Miss Penelope Fuller are here from Milwaukee to assist the debutante, along with Miss Lois Mason, Miss Ann Johnson, Miss Frances Clow, Miss Barbara Bowes, Miss Barbara Pettibone, Miss Blanche Hoyt, Miss Julie Goodman, Miss Margaret Burnham, Miss Julie Turner, Miss Betty Mercer, Miss Helene Harding, and Miss Frances Brown. Also assisting will be the debutante's sister-in-law, Mrs. Scribner Jr. [the former Helen Shoemaker]; Miss Gertrude Scribner, whose debut a year ago today was similar to her sister's, and subdebutante Mary Scribner, who attends the North Shore Country Day school. Miss Nancy is a sophomore at Bryn Mawr college.

Tavern Club Will Gather at Wassail Bowl Today.

Members of the Tavern club will gather around the wassail bowl late this afternoon to toast each other in eggnogs and Tom and Jerries. A table laden with hors d'œuvres will

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Waiting for Santa Claus—the Universal Story of Childhood

"Waiting for Santa Claus," this picture of 4 year old Judith Lee Gritton might be titled. Every little boy and girl in this country will be doing the same thing tonight, for Santa is expected in every home, rich and poor, where there are children. War, with its ravages and sorrows, means nothing to the little ones who believe in the Santa Claus myth, so every mother and father will try to provide a Merry Christmas for their children.

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

White Collar GIRL

BY RUTH MACKAY.

Bodyguard for Beagle.

The preoccupied-with-business owner of a frisky little beagle telephoned a sporting goods store to order two or three metal identification tags. Major—that's the beagle's name—had oft strayed and twice been stolen. So his mistress decided never to let him out of her sight without a name tag on his collar.

The clerk, on the other end of the telephone, asked the dog's name, what breed, etc., and the conversation ended with the dog owner feeling that from now on life would be simpler.

Two days before Christmas the name tags arrived in a de luxe cream colored jewelry box. They were made of sterling silver with the name engraved on one side and a finely etched beagle's head on the other. Three of them!

Now, Major, who has oft strayed and twice been stolen, needs a bodyguard.

Dream Shopping.

Add to the list of weary Christmas shoppers the suburbanite who went to bed exhausted. The next morning his wife tried to rouse him, and at last asked him, "Billy, what train are you going to get?" "The little one," he said, drowsily, dreaming of the toy department instead of the 8:10.

Clerks and Clerics.

Clerical workers on the street this noon hour, while strains of Christmas carols and chants fill the smoky air, are not far removed from the early clerical workers—the "clerics"—or monks—who were our forerunners in bookkeeping and recording. From them we derive the word clerical.

This Is the Day.

This is the day when footsore stockroom girls hang the negligees back on the rack the last time before Christmas and the salesgirls say, for the 100th time, "No, modom, no more size 36." And this is the day when young soldiers, home on leave, dash madly into the stores to buy a compact . . . or perfume . . . or a trinket. ["I do wish I could have bought it for him," one warm hearted sales clerk remarked when the price was too high for Uncle Sam's wages.] And today a few mothers, children by the hand, will take a last look at Santa. [O, gentle world of the 2 year old . . . and harsh world of the 20 year old!] And today that genus Americana, the good husband and father, will do ALL of his Christmas shopping.

Today the office parties will be more friendly and less hilarious, with more hand clasping and less back slapping. And the Christmas trees will be lit . . . in red, white, and blue . . . and the music box Santa Claus [bought a few years ago so light heartedly] will again play "Jingle Bells" . . . and just saying "Merry Christmas" will make you swallow quickly.

And today, by 5 o'clock, the long distance phones and telegraph wires will begin to hum . . . and tonight, in the public library, a head here and there will be bent over a book [on Christmas eve] while the reference librarian sits quietly at his desk reading silently to himself—as every Christmas eve—Dickens' "Christmas Carol."

And tonight—life being the most irrational of all existence—at least one fashion artist will work late at her easel sketching cotton seersucker dresses for southern wear.

Bubble Bath Preparations Suit Every One

Thru the LOOKING GLASS

When in the throes of last minute chaos of deciding on and finding gifts, remember that those preparations—there are dozens and dozens of them—that make bubbles in the bath are among the most beloved of all the beauty aids we have. Women are simply mad about them. You can be perfectly assured when you hand bubble bath powder or liquid to women of all ages and all temperaments that they'll like your choice of a gift. Bubble stuff gets 'em every time.

Little girls like the bubble bath preparations, too, and there are certain fragrances available that are wonderfully suited for them. Light, airy scents, not at all sophisticated, appeal to the 'teen-agers, who are all crazy about "luxury baths."

These bath trimmings needn't be expensive. There are some, in costly fragrances, that are distinctly de luxe, and of course these are elegant if you can afford them. But you can find these preparations in a wide variety of perfumes that are decidedly inexpensive and that make the nicest kind of gift. A good pine or almost any floral makes a safe choice if you're in doubt about the recipient's tastes. If you want a scent more on the glamorous side you can have that in the sophisticated blends.

One of the most popular of the men's lines has a liquid preparation that makes a foam bath, this in a scent that's won complete masculine approval over the course of years. It's a good gift for the man who's so well supplied with this world's goods that he's difficult to shop for. Men like the luxurious, relaxing foam baths just as much as women do if the fragrance suits them.

ELEANOR NANGLE.

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Field Museum to Be Closed Christmas and New Year's

Maj. Clifford C. Gregg, director of the Feld Museum of Natural History, has announced that the museum will be closed on Christmas and New Year's day to permit employés to spend these holidays with their families.

Weddings

The marriage of Miss Bernice Cranston to Dale W. Burgess will take place at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon at the Southwest Community center, with the Rev. Paul T. Sanders officiating. Miss Cranston is the daughter of Stephen C. Cranston of Carlisle, Ark. Mr. Burgess' parents are Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Burgess of Gaston, Ind. Mr. Burgess and his bride will live in Indianapolis, Ind. Miss Cranston was graduated from the University of Illinois. Mr. Burgess studied at Ball State Teachers' college.

Julian J. Jackson will leave today for Kansas City, Kas., where his marriage to Miss Eleanor Thorp will take place on Friday. The afternoon ceremony and small reception will take place in the home of Miss Thorp's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Stack. The bride will be attended by Miss Mildred Heal, with whom she has lived in Chicago. Mr. Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Raphael Jackson of Maryland avenue, will take his bride to Miami, Fla., where they will take a Clipper plane to Cuba. Their home will be in Chicago.

Looking at Hollywood

—By John Chapman—

Hollywood, Dec. 23.—Hissing the villain is something we moderns never do, except when we go to a burlesque performance of "The Drunkard" or something like that and try desperately to be quaint on two mugs of beer. But we still don't like villains, and if a good one appears on stage or screen we are likely to hate him forever. It has taken me years to like Van Heflin.

Van Heflin.

First time I encountered him, he was young, skinny, offensively cocky and too curly haired to suit me, and he swaggered up to a fireplace, laid his pipe on the mantel and sounded off with a lot of half-red blather in a conversation piece by S. N. Behrman called "End of Summer." It was a Theater Guild play on Broadway and Ina Claire was the star. I didn't remember that the luminous Ina had been the star until I looked up the play the other day; all I recalled was that this Van Heflin annoyed me.

Years later I go to Hollywood and I begin running into this Van Heflin in Dave's and Mike's and other emporia, and I begin to get it thru my skull that he is a very fine fellow—a stout companion, a good story-teller and more modest than most actors. In "End of Summer" he had played his part too well, that was all.

Heflin has become one of the better-than-promising young men of Hollywood. He was poisonous in Errol Flynn's "Santa Fe Trail." In Metro's "H. M. Pulham, Esq." he is entirely likable, playing the wise and humorous advertising man who steers Robert Young thru the befuddlements of love and soap ads. In "Johnny Eager," a bang-bang melodrama yet to be released, he's a drunken old philosopher who comments on the bad career of gangster Robert Taylor in the manner of a one-man Greek chorus, and for a couple of years he played on the stage opposite Katharine Hepburn in "The Philadelphia Story"—a rôle whose celluloid version won Jimmy Stewart last year's Oscar.

Most notable sailor of the Hollywood year has been one Stirling Hayden, who got a lot of Paramount publicity and finally went back to the sea. A sailor, too, is Heflin, but not so much capital was made of it.

Van was born 31 years ago in Walters, Okla., the son of a dentist named Emmett Evan Heflin. The boy's name was the same, so to differentiate people called him Evan instead of Emmett. Ultimately the Evan was contracted to Van.

The Heflins moved to Long Beach when Van was a kid and Van went to Long Beach Poly High, which later graduated Lariane Day. San Pedro harbor was handy and Van got a yen for the sea which occupied him for several years. He also got a yen for the stage. The two urges finally came together when he shipped on a fruit boat for New York, and in New York met some theater folk at a cocktail party given by a cousin, who was an actress.

At this party a guest was describing a new play. One part, he said, called for a fresh young punk like . . . like—well, like him over there. And he pointed to Heflin. Purely as the kind of gag show folk like, young Van was persuaded to apply for the part. It was in a weighty Channing Pollock trifle called "Mr. Moneypenny," and Heflin got it.

Eleven weeks of the stage were enough for the lad and he spent the next few years before the mast and in the University of Oklahoma. Then he went to the Yale Drama school. Then he tried Broadway again. For six days he rehearsed the main sailor part in "Sailor Beware," then was relieved as "not the type." Bruce McFarlane got the job and Van remained as Bruce's understudy. Next he went on the road in a couple of Theater Guild shows that never came to town. Then he played opposite Jean Arthur in the unremembered "Bride of Toroszko." Of this play the late Percy Hammond wrote, "Mr. Van Heflin is an unreasonably bad actor."

A season or so later Hammond ate his words by giving Van praise in "Casey Jones." Next, Heflin took a rôle in Leo Bulgakov's "The Night Remembers"—and by way of protection got a side job washing dishes in an automat.

"End of Summer" was the first real break. It was real enough to afford Heflin a chance at the movies in four RKO pictures, including Katharine Hepburn's "Woman Rebels." Some seasons later, in Miss Hepburn's "Philadelphia Story," he won the renown which got him a permanent job in Hollywood.

It did not, however, get him a chance in the picture. This part was Jimmy Stewart's baby, and Van went to Warners' to be the louse in "Santa Fe Trail." He was amused not long ago when he saw a trailer proclaiming one of his forthcoming films, and this trailer introduced him as "Van Heflin, who played Jimmy Stewart's part in 'The Philadelphia Story.'"

$25,000 Gift Starts Drive of Red Cross

A gift of $25,000 has been made to the American Red Cross by Nelson Morris of Homewood, it became known yesterday. The donation was one of the first which has been reported since James B. Forgan, director of the Chicago chapter, announced the campaign of the Red Cross for a $50,000,000 fund, of which Chicago's share is $3,750,000.

Morris' check was paid thru Mrs. George W. Scupham, head of the Homewood branch of the Red Cross. It was recalled that Morris, a grandson of the founder of Morris & Co., packers, gave thousands of dollars for war relief two years ago in France, and that he had already made a substantial donation to the Red Cross last month.

Another sizable gift was sent to the headquarters at 105 South La Salle street. It consisted of $780 in $10 and $20 gold coins in a cigar box. The anonymous donor sent along a note, which read in part:

"In 1932, in complete mental panic, with a life long position in a highly specialized field of activity gone; considered too old for employment, and with no one in the world to fall back on, I saw my rainy day fund shrinking daily in value past the danger point, so I did as many others and withdrew part of my savings in this form. After the crisis, some unfortunate comment from a bank teller deterred me from converting the remainder. It served well as a mental stabilizer. May it now serve a more useful purpose."

Red Cross representatives succeeded in converting the coins into currency at the Federal Reserve bank.

Martin H. Kennelly, vice chairman in charge of the industrial division for the Chicago drive, said that his chairmen will enroll volunteer workers immediately. He hopes to have pledge cards distributed in business and industrial organizations thruout the city and adjoining territory by Jan. 1.

Bundles for Bluejackets are still in need of a few hundred more Christmas gift stockings in order to supply the 10,500 men in the Navy and Marine corps in the Chicago area, Mrs. John P. Cohane, chairman, said yesterday. Until 10 a. m. today, members will be filling the last stockings in their headquarters in room 632 in the Palmer House. Rear Adm. John Downes of Great Lakes, who suggested the drive, said that most of the boys at Great Lakes, Navy Pier and the Naval Armory will be unable to take Christmas furlough.

Mrs. Clark J. Lawrence, chairman of the women's committee at the Service Men's center, 174 West Washington street, said that 5,000 Christmas stockings would be given out today and tomorrow to all service men who visit the center. The stockings were filled by Mrs. Edward J. Kelly's canteen committee.

The Elgin chapter of the Red Cross reported that an anonymous donor enclosed five $100 bills in a plain envelope and mailed it to the war relief fund. Elgin's drive for $16,500 is past the $11,000 mark.

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Zeta Beta Tau, Jewish Fraternity, to Meet Here

Zeta Beta Tau, oldest and largest national college fraternity for Jewish men, will hold its 43d annual national convention in the Congress hotel from next Sunday thru the following Wednesday. Among the fraternity's well-known members is Justice Felix Frankfurter of the United States Supreme court. The local arrangements committee, preparing for delegates from 31 chapters, is headed by Milton P. Klein, 5129 Drexel boulevard.

Your Stars ★ Today ★

By WYNN

Wednesday, Dec. 24.

Steer around emotional upsets today by seeing and appreciating the viewpoint of the other fellow, whether above or below your state of development. The mental side of today is better than usual, with invitation to look and plan ahead.

Your Year Ahead.

Your year ahead from birthday today must be steady, practical or problems in occupation, reputation, law, with partners and in own circle will come. Tackle lingering health ills. Danger: April 15-May 11; Sept. 13-22.

Tomorrow.

Getting better in later hours; hold negative feelings, if any.

Do you want an individual interpretation of your own personal date? Send 10c for 1942 horoscope, 5c for balance of 1941—15c for both—to Wynn, Tribune astrologer, 286 Fifth avenue, New York, N. Y.

Front VIEWS and PROFILES

Fine Talk.

"Gainsay me no vainglory," vouchsafed the scapegrace.

Peripatetic.

Favorite Christmas card to date is from Mr. and Mrs. John Kraft. It bears the inscription, "Still on the Go," as well as "Merry Christmas." Inside is a picture of these Chicagoans with their luggage.

Have you ever figured out how long it would take to visit every interesting part of the United States? In fact, have you ever considered how long it would take if you limited yourself to interesting or historic spots in Illinois?

Reflection.

There have been many stories about puppies and their first views of themselves in a mirror. This one, however, is about Cricket—remember our little neighbor, the Siamese kitten, now 3 months old? Well, the mirror is on the inside of a closet door which happened to be ajar. Cricket, skittling past, caught sight of the "other cat," skidded to a stop, bristled, humped her back, lunged, and bumped her nose. Then she spat at the image and slapped with her paw. Suddenly, she ran around back of the mirror, took a look, and galloped back to the arena. She repeated this procedure at least 10 or 12 times. Came the dawn. Cricket knows now; there may be another cat there, but from another world. Since that day her indifference to her reflection is colossal and unfeminine.

Prophecies.

Five couples we know who hail from Winnetka, Ouilmette [that's the old spelling of Wilmette and fun for a change], and Evanston have been getting together for years on New Year's eve. Their traditional game is for each to write prophecies for the year to come. The following year they compare and score. After New Year's, we'll try to find out who won for 1941. Must be the pessimist of the group.

Practice.

Mrs. George A. Kelly tells this story of her recent stay at the Ritz hotel in Mexico City. From the first day she could hear a piano being played by an expert at almost any time of the day or night. It was such fine music that Mrs. Kelly didn't object to its persistence. When her curiosity got the better of her, she learned that the pianist was Alexander Brailowsky, that he practiced at least six hours a day, clad comfortably in a pair of slacks and a pair of sandals, and that he was going to appear at Orchestra hall with the Chicago Symphony on Feb. 10. Mrs. Kelly will be there.

More Sah!

A wire from E. M. in Louisville, Ky., informs us that there are only 192 days until the 4th of July. The way people tell us secrets is impressive!

Spots Unchanged.

A young man called up the secretary in charge of reservations for the Princeton Triangle show and said confidingly: "You know, Mrs. Weld, the girl who was in charge last year gave me swell seats, and I hope you'll do as well by me. She was very nice, and besides I'm an alumnus." Mrs. Weld did well by him, too, because last year she was Miss Fletcher—one and the same lady! The tiger doesn't change his stripes either.

The Housewife

A last minute Christmas gift suggestion is a very decorative, big glass pineapple filled with lots of little pastel colored powder puffs. Similar containers are shaped like apples, large and small, and are also filled with puffs. They look charming on the guest room bureau or dressing table, and when empty can be used for candies or nuts. They are not a bit expensive. EDITH WEIGLE.

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Just Time Left to Get Fido or Pussy a Gift

BY REA SEEGER.

It's all over but the alibis and that last shaky feeling that you've missed important people. If nothing else, you are suddenly aware of the fun of buying funny things for the household pup or cat. Until you've wandered around the "pet corners" filled with 1941 gift ideas you will not have realized just how civilized or sophisticated gift pets can be. Since Fido or Pussy can't do anything more than yowl about the stuff, we'll never know whether these super dolls, mice, and small animals of nice chewy rubber really satisfy.

Wonder what a hound will think about the gunny sack covered items cut and stuffed out like a shoe, or the chunky pieces that double for the neighbor's front door mat or the carefully laced and apparently scientifically assembled exercise rope for the jaw and the rest of the dog, and what any real honest to goodness pup thinks of the sissy blankets, galoshes, and raincoats some pets are scheduled to bark about?

Thorobreds as well as mongrels and just plain pups evidently are going to be tucked away in dog beds, some startling modernistic affairs in streamlined metal, dark green and dubonnet red with sturdy canvas cushions to fit. Snazzier models for pampered pets are of cane, but all models are the last word in doggy comfort.

Leashes and fancy collars, dog tags of silver, no less, or shiny chromium are ready to be attached to the family pet, each tag inscribed with all the data, regarding home, owner, and telephone number.

Toys, collars, and basket beds for cats, collars with tiny tinkling bells attached, catnip mice, catnip balls, Christmas stockings filled with toys and animal candies and crackers for both dog and cat are abundant and packed with gay red and green trim.

The best toy of the season is the mouse house for your pet mouser . . . the idea is almost a test problem in psychology. It's a stiff cardboard house painted with a mouse leering out of every window . . . inside is a small felt mouse attached to a bit of rubber elastic . . . the cat paws and claws at the elastic, mouse finally is held in the jaws, but when the cat relaxes her hold on the mouse back scampers the mouse into the house. It's one of the best laugh getters round the town!

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American Women's Voluntary Services Appeals for Funds

The American Women's Voluntary Services, organized in January, 1940, to prepare women for any crisis that modern warfare might bring, is asking for gifts to finance its increased activities since war was declared. Mrs. Alice T. McLean is national president of the Services which has 200 local units in 28 states.

In coöperation with the Office of Civilian Defense and the police and fire departments, the organization has been training about 6,000 women monthly in such fields as air raid precautions, motor corps work, communications, physical fitness, first aid, and control of fear and panic. Since Dec. 7, the Services have been on a 24 hour schedule dispatching air raid precaution teachers to the west coast, obtaining cars and drivers to return service men on leave to camps and ships, enlisting volunteer personnel, and arranging training courses for thousands of women.

Mrs. Isabella Greenway King is chairman of the board of directors and Mrs. Preston Davie is vice president and chairman of the finance committee. Headquarters are at 11 East 58th street, New York City.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Symons of South Hoyne avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Mary, to Paul W. Schulz of Kalamazoo, Mich., son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul G. Schulz of Milwaukee, Wis. Both young people were graduated from the University of Wisconsin in the class of 1939. The wedding will take place on Jan. 24 in the Morgan Park Methodist church.

HAROLD TEEN—SANTA FINDS A WAY

WHY DON'T YOU GIVE ME YOUR CHRISMAS LIST-SIMP—AN' I'LL DO YOUR SHOPPIN' FOR YOU?
CAN'T DO IT-- I'M NOT ALLOWED TO PASS OUT ANY MONEY OR ANYTHIN ELSE AS LONG AS WE'RE QUARANTINED-
12-24
HEY-I GOT IT! I'LL BORROW TH' MONEY FROM GOOD OL' POP JENKS- AN' YOU CAN REPAY HIM WHEN YOU GET OUT-
THAT'S USING TH' OL' BEAN, DESTINY'S TOT- NOW, HAVE YOU GOT IT ALL DOWN?
YEP-- ALL SET-
MARL ED
JINGLE BELLS JINGLE BELLS
YA HOO!

Here's Easy Lesson in How to Lose Beau

BY DORIS BLAKE.

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"How to Lose Your Boy Friend in 10 Easy Lessons" is actress Leonore Bissinger's contribution:

1. Always teach him better manners publicly.
2. Flirt with strangers when the boy friend is along.
3. Keep him waiting, on the theory that he'll learn to control his temper.
4. When he tells his favorite story, act bored.
5. Telephone him at all hours of the day.
6. Be shrill and don't let him hear himself talk.
7. Overdress. Look like an advertisment for a shop catering to theatrical would be's.
8. Smoke cigarets chain fashion.
9. Take that one drink too many.
10. Veto his suggestions, because you can do and plan things so much better.

We might add a few of our own, to insure further the death of a romance that might have been.

Become proprietary with him on the premise that he must be yours to do with and order about as you choose, because he has taken you out a few times.

Become peeved if he so much as looks at another girl while you are present.

Make "smarty" remarks at him.

Make fun of his tie, his hat, his suit.

Talk about that boy friend you were out with last time and where he took you, etc.

Never tell him he's a grand person, so different, so nice.

Helps Plan Ball

Miss Anne O'Donoghue, who is assisting with the arrangements for the annual Christmas ball of the St. Xavier College club to be given in the Congress Casino Friday night. Miss Mary Agnes Cmarik, president of the club, is chairman of the ball committee.

Snow Chase Club to Aid Ski Troop Enlistments

Now that the army has a mountaineer and ski troop battalion the Snow Chase club has decided to do its part towards reënforcing these new ranks. The first batalion, 87th infantry mountain regiment, is stationed at Fort Lewis, Wash. Men now in the service who have served four months may be transferred to this regiment. The Snow Chase club will answer inquiries about the work and transfer applications to the National Ski association headquarters in New York, which coöperates with the war department.

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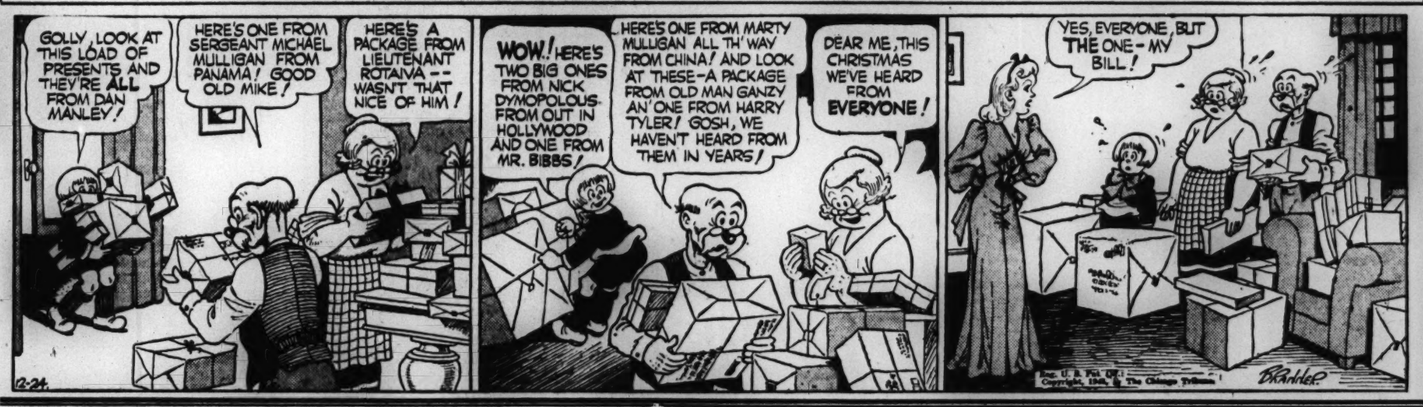
Open House Today.

The Union Station chapter of the Milwaukee Road Woman's club will hold open house for members and friends today in the club rooms at the Union station. A buffet luncheon will be served at noon. Mrs. G. M. Dempsey heads the chapter.

GASOLINE ALLEY—THE BLITZKRIEG

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER: The Only One That Counts



DORIS BLAKE'S LETTER BOX

Have you a perplexing problem on which you need friendly counsel? Write to Doris Blake in care of the Chicago Tribune Tribune Tower, Chicago, Ill. If you wish a personal reply, inclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

Belated Regrets.

"Dear Miss Blake: I like a girl, but recently I thought she didn't like me any more, so I tried to make her angry by going with another girl. She grew angry and went with another boy. Now I am afraid I have no chance with her. PERPLEXED."

No use feeling that way. Call her for a date. If she happens to have one say you're sorry, and try to set a time when she will be free. Nothing to prevent both of you from having other friends, is there?

According to Culbertson

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One of the old bridge sayings is: "A singleton king always makes." It is a fact that most singleton kings *held by the defenders* take tricks, due to the declarer's natural and logical tendency to finesse against these cards. Thus, when a defender's singleton king is back of an ace, it has an excellent chance to survive. It is quite another story, however, when a singleton king is in declarer's hand. Almost always it requires a downright error by the defense for such singletons to be converted into tricks. The situation often is as shown in the following deal:

South, dealer.
Neither side vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ K 7 3
♥ K 6 5
♦ J 8 7 4
♣ Q J 6

WEST
♠ J 5 4
♥ 10 9 7
♦ Q 9 6 2
♣ A 8 3

EAST
♠ Q 6
♥ 8 4 3 2
♦ A 10 5 3
♣ K 7 2

SOUTH
♠ A 10 9 8 2
♥ A Q J
♦ K
♣ 10 9 5 4

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 spade	Pass	1 no trump	Pass
3 spades	Pass	3 spades	Pass
4 spades	Pass	Pass	Pass

The bidding, particularly North's, was of questionable merit. The opening spade bid and no trump response were, of course, correct. It is doubtful, however, that South should have rebid his spade suit, despite his singleton, since it was a king. And there is no doubt that North's spade raise was a definite stretch. However, due to laxness of the defense [in this case, East's] the contract was brought home.

West opened the ten of hearts. Dummy's king won and now, to keep the defenders from learning of their mutual resources in other suits, declarer immediately led a low diamond toward his king. East woodenly followed "second hand low" and the blank king became a trick. After that it was all over. Declarer drew two rounds of trumps and quickly established the club suit, conceding, in all, one trump trick and two clubs.

Many defenders are blind to the significance of intermediate cards and combinations. In this case East should have considered himself fortunate in that he held not merely the diamond ace but the ten with it. This ten spot was the key to the proper play. East should have realized that declarer could not be "fooled" by failure to put up the diamond ace, because, with the ten in East's hand and the jack in dummy, it was impossible that declarer could have a finessing position. If East had not had the diamond ten, then declarer might have had that card along with the king, and in that case would have to guess whether to put in the ten or the king. The fact that he could not have the ten was proof that he would have to go up with the king. Hence, East could gain nothing by ducking. True, he could not know that the ace would drop the blank king, but he could know that there was nothing to lose by the ace play.

The defense must always be guided by the visualization of what declarer would do if he had certain cards or card combinations. There is no sense in attempting to make declarer guess when the cards in sight make it obvious that he has only one line of play.

Tomorrow's Hand

West, dealer.
East-West vulnerable.
Match-point duplicate.

NORTH
♠ Q 10 4 3
♥ J 10 8 5 4
♦ 10
♣ 7 6 3

WEST
♠ K 9 5
♥ A Q 7
♦ K J
♣ A Q 10 8 4

EAST
♠ A J 8 7 6
♥ K 9 6 3 2
♦ 7 4
♣ 2

SOUTH
♠ 2
♥ None
♦ A Q 9 8 6 5 3 2
♣ K J 9 5

Mr. Culbertson will discuss this hand in tomorrow's column.

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You cannot cut Christmas out of the calendar nor out of the heart of the world.

STUDIO 66 E. Van Buren—Op. 11 A. M. 35c to 1, 40c to 5:00; 50c After. Danielle Darrieux as the Virgin Bride in "MLLE. MA MERE" and Rex Harrison, "SCHOOL FOR HUSBANDS" Adults Only 9TH MONTH

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BUY... BALABAN & KATZ Happiness Books of Theater Tickets Solve your last-minute Xmas shopping worries Good any time for any Balaban & Katz Theater $1, $2.50 and $5.00 . . at all B&K box-offices!

MARBRO MADISON NEAR DEARBORN Op. 1:30—Cary Grant, Joan Fontaine "SUSPICION" Thrillingly Directed by Alfred Hitchcock Plus NELSON EDDY and RISE STEVENS in "CHOCOLATE SOLDIER" FRIDAY: Tyrone Power, "YANK IN R. A. F." Fred MacMurray, Mary Martin, 'NEW YORK TOWN'

PARADISE Hell-Drivers Fight Jap Peril! "BURMA CONVOY" & Ida Lupino, "LADIES in RETIREMENT" B&K SHOW TIME

Cont. Pk. STATE MANOR SENATE BOB HOPE "NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH" Plus Alice Faye, John Payne "WEEK-END IN HAVANA" DINNERWARE TODAY ALL 4 THEATERS B&K SHOW TIME

● AMERICAN 6 N. Ashland—Rob't Young, "MARRIED BACHELOR" JEFFREY LYNN, "LAW OF THE TROPICS"
● B'DY STRAND 1641 Roose.—Gene Autry 'DOWN MEXICO WAY' ORSON WELLES is "CITIZEN KANE"
● JOY 1611 W. Roose. 10c 1:30-6:30 EVE. 15c PLUS TAX Dorothy Lamour, "Chad Hanna" & "Flowing Gold"
● CRAWFORD 19 S. Crew.—'Public Enemies' "CHARLIE CHAN IN RIO"
● BYRD Mad.-Cic.—"Parachute Battalion" & "FATHER TAKES A WIFE"
● WEST END 15c 1:30-6:30 EVE. 20c PLUS TAX 121 N. Cic.—"20,000 AIRMEN A YEAR" "MURDER IN THE AIR" & "Aviation Vacation" 'SOLDIERS OF SKY' & 'TANKS ARE COMING'

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Fruit Stuffing Is Delicious with a Goose

Thursday's Menu

BREAKFAST
Broiled Grapefruit
Sweet Rolls
Milk Coffee

LUNCH
Bacon and Lettuce Sandwiches
Milk

CHRISTMAS DINNER
Cranberry Cocktail
Roast Goose, Prune, Apple, and Celery Stuffing
Giblet Gravy
Mashed Squash
Broccoli Hollandaise
Orange, Cream Cheese and Grapefruit Salad on Chicory, Onion French Dressing
Dinner Rolls
Coffee Sundaes Fruit Cake
Milk Coffee

BY MARY MEADE.

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Today you'll be stuffing and trussing that goose, if goose is a part of tomorrow's dinner menu. Fruit stuffing seems better with goose than any other kind. Halved apples, plumped prunes, and a stalk of celery sometimes are tucked away in the goose's little empty interior, but if you want a real stuffing, try this:

Prune, Apple, and Celery Stuffing.

2 cups chopped cooked prunes
2 cups chopped raw apples
2 cups chopped celery, with tops
3 cups stale bread crumbs
1¼ teaspoons salt
Giblet stock to moisten

Blend ingredients lightly and fill goose. Less salt may be needed if giblet stock is seasoned. Prune, orange, or pineapple juice may be used to moisten stuffing, if you want all the giblet stock for gravy.

Hollandaise sauce is wonderful for almost any green vegetable, especially asparagus, broccoli, and brussels sprouts. Genuine Hollandaise has to be made carefully or it will curdle. Mock Hollandaise is foolproof, or almost so.

Hollandaise Sauce.

½ cup butter
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1-16 teaspoon cayenne pepper
3 egg yolks
¼ teaspoon salt
½ cup boiling water

Cream butter and beat in egg yolks, one at a time, very thoroly. Add lemon juice and seasonings. Just before serving, add boiling water in small amounts, stirring vigorously in the top of a double boiler, until thickened and smooth. Do not allow water to boil in lower compartment. It should just simmer. Overcooking will cause sauce to curdle, so serve it as soon as thickened.

Mock Hollandaise.

1 cup well seasoned, thick white sauce
2 egg yolks
2 tablespoons lemon juice
Few grains cayenne pepper

Beat egg yolks well. Have sauce hot, and add it gradually to yolks, stirring constantly. Heat thoroly over boiling water. Add lemon juice and cayenne just before serving.

Dinner Rolls.

[About 2 dozen.]
1 cup scalded milk
2 tablespoons sugar
1 teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons melted fat
1 cake yeast
3 cups [about that] flour
1 egg

Add sugar, salt, and shortening to scalded milk and cool to lukewarm. Crumble in yeast and stir until dissolved. Add half the flour and beat batter until smooth. Beat egg white until stiff, and add with remainder of flour, or enough to make a kneadable dough. Knead dough until elastic and smooth. Place in a well greased bowl, cover, and let rise in a warm place until doubled in bulk, about 1½ hours. Shape into small rolls. Place in well greased pans, cover, and let rise again until light, about 40 minutes. Brush with egg yolk which has been mixed with one tablespoon milk. Bake at 450 degrees about 10 minutes.

TODAY'S PRIZE RECIPE

Here's a very simple dessert which Mrs. William H. Turba, 3235 Belle Plaine avenue, Chicago, likes to serve after a heavy meal such as Thanksgiving or Christmas dinner. "Men go for it," she declares.

The recipe contest judges decided the recipe was worth a $5 prize. In testing it, we used pink and green after dinner mints, which gave a Christmasy appearance to the cup.

Mint Banana and Grapefruit Cup.
[Serves Six.]

1 No. 2 can grapefruit
2 large bananas
2 tablespoons candy mints

Slice bananas and combine with grapefruit and mints. Chill several hours in refrigerator. [Cooking editor's note: Why not use fresh grapefruit now that it's seasonable AND reasonable?]

Send your own favorite recipe to Recipe Contest, CHICAGO TRIBUNE. There'll be a daily prize — maybe one for you!

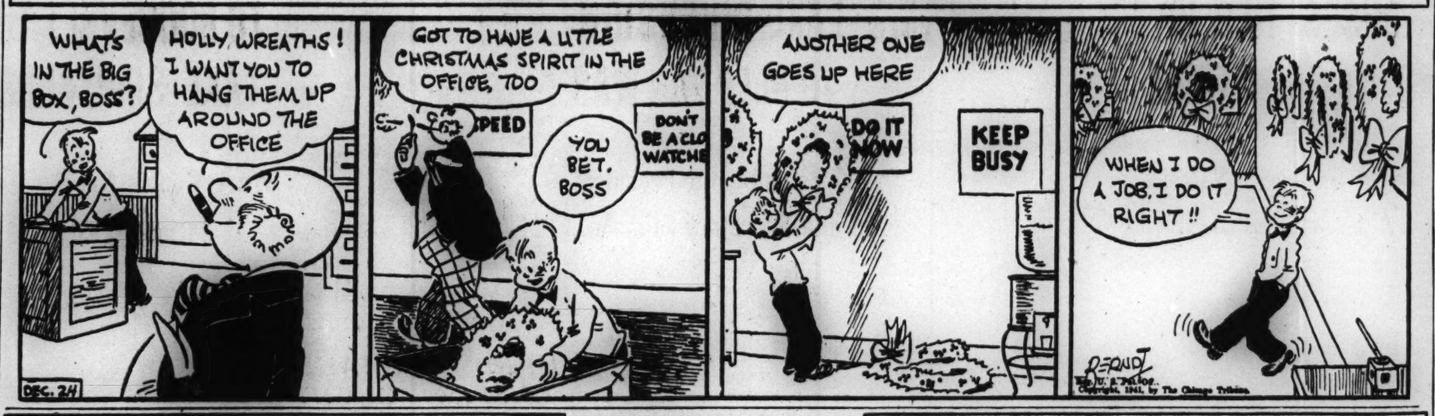
[Save this for your scrapbook.]

On the House

An after-Christmas gift of real value to a house would be a new "overcoat." . . . If you have trouble heating your home, or find that it is growing increasingly hard to heat, check on the blow-in types of insulation which would give it a thick layer of insulation. . . . This type of insulation doesn't take long and it would be good insurance against that cold that strengthens when the days start to lengthen. . . . Other easy-to-take overcoats for a house are new finishes for the outside walls; stucco, brick, shingles, either wood or prepared.

LOUISE BARGELT.

SMITTY—A SIGN OF GOOD TIMES


WHAT'S IN THE BIG BOX, BOSS?
HOLLY WREATHS! I WANT YOU TO HANG THEM UP AROUND THE OFFICE
DEC. 24
GOT TO HAVE A LITTLE CHRISTMAS SPIRIT IN THE OFFICE, TOO
SPEED
DON'T BE A CLOCK WATCHER
YOU BET, BOSS
ANOTHER ONE GOES UP HERE
DO IT NOW
KEEP BUSY
WHEN I DO A JOB, I DO IT RIGHT!!
BERNOT

Inspiring New Headgear

WOMAN'S AND MISS' HATS.

If anything gives a woman a spiritual lift in times of stress, it's something like a new and unusual hat. Today's patterns create a wide variety of fashionable chapeau styles. All designs are for 22 inch headsize, but easily adaptable to variations either way.

Style No. **3322**, draped version, requires ⅝ yard of 35 inch material with 1 yard of 3-inch ribbon; beret, ⅝ yard of 35 inch; bag, 9 by 12 inches, ⅝ yard of 35 inch.

Style No. **3466**, pillbox version, requires ¼ yard of 35 inch fabric with 2 yards of 1¼ inch ribbon; beret, ½ yard of 35 inch material, ⅝ yard of 1-inch ribbon.

Style No. **3367**, pillbox with hearts, requires ¼ yard of 35 inch material, with ⅛ yard contrasting for hearts; calotte, ¼ yard of 35 inch, with ⅛ yard contrasting for hearts.

Each pattern costs 10 cents.

Address orders for Clotilde patterns to Chicago Tribune, P. O. Box 537, Grand Central annex, NEW YORK CITY, including 10 cents in stamps or coin (coin preferred—wrap it carefully) for each pattern ordered. IMPORTANT! Be sure to state clearly the number of the pattern and the size desired and write your name and address plainly. The winter pattern book costs 15 cents, 10 cents if ordered with a pattern.

Right Corset Is Foundation of Wardrobe

BY ANTOINETTE DONNELLY.

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Almost every woman today wears a corset of some kind, even women so slender that it hardly seems necessary. They've found that clothes fit with more chic, and that body lines are molded with more feminine curves.

Women with fat to consider, however, often do not wear the right kind of corset. Frequently they make the mistake of selecting a garment at random from a counter piled high with all sorts of foundations, without consulting a trained corsetiere. They may choose a girdle that takes care of the hips and thighs, but pushes the fat up around the waistline to exaggerate a "spare tire" tendency. They may purchase a brassiere that molds the bustline, but fails to assist the midsector. Unless a girdle fits snugly at the waistline, it may protrude unbecomingly.

Certain figures look better corseted in an all in one garment. This is because fat is more evenly distributed. Or, perhaps, a well fitted girdle and a brassiere, to come down over the top of the girdle to mold the waistline firmly and smoothly, would be best.

When buying a corset you must know your figure faults to get a correct fit. If you have fat around the shoulders, be sure that the corset you buy does not push up the fat so that it hangs over the top of your garment. Seek expert advice on how best to flatter your "tummy," your derriere, your hips, your thighs, your waistline, and your bust.

If shoulder straps are too loose, they will not give you a bust uplift. If they are too tight, they will have a tendency to cut into your shoulder flesh, and, to avoid that discomfort, you may carry your shoulders rounded, which does not look well.

Child Desires Appreciation of His Gift

By GLADYS HUNTINGTON BEVANS.

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How do you receive your children's gifts?

I have seen adults be enthusiastic in detail over a present from a friend or another grownup in the family, and then merely acknowledge the Christmas or birthday gift of a child with a simple thank you.

Now many things in life are not in the same scale of importance for children that they are for adults. That is something we'd do well to remember in all our association with children, but especially at the moment in regard to their Christmas giving. No matter how we grownups love this festival day, it hasn't for us the ineffable glamor that it possesses for children. They save penny by penny for their Christmas shopping. They buy with the greatest amount of thought. And they work like little beavers over a potholder for grandma, or a pipe rack for daddy, or a handkerchief box for mother.

Each stitch or nail or straight-sawed edge is accomplished with great effort. If small Billy or Susan make a Christmas card, a real creative job has been done. These children of ours who give us gifts such as these are giving us part of themselves, and quite unconsciously they crave a recognition of it. To an older friend or relative we say: "It's lovely. How did you know I wanted a pair of clips? You remembered? I always like pairs of things. You've heard me say so? And brilliants, too, so they will go with anything I wear. They're lovely!" But our child will savor that kind of appreciation even more.

"This is a wonderful potholder, Janey. It's so thick that I couldn't possibly burn myself. And it's just the right color for the kitchen. And what a fine big loop it has for hanging. Thank you darling, very much," says grandma. Father, when he sees that somewhat rough and slightly lopsided pipe rack which represents his little boy's best efforts, will respond with more than a "thank you, son." He will expatiate upon how much he needed it, and dwell upon its virtues, and discuss where it shall be placed. And mother will sound just the right note when her handkerchief box is unwrapped. This way of receiving children's gifts is music to their ears.

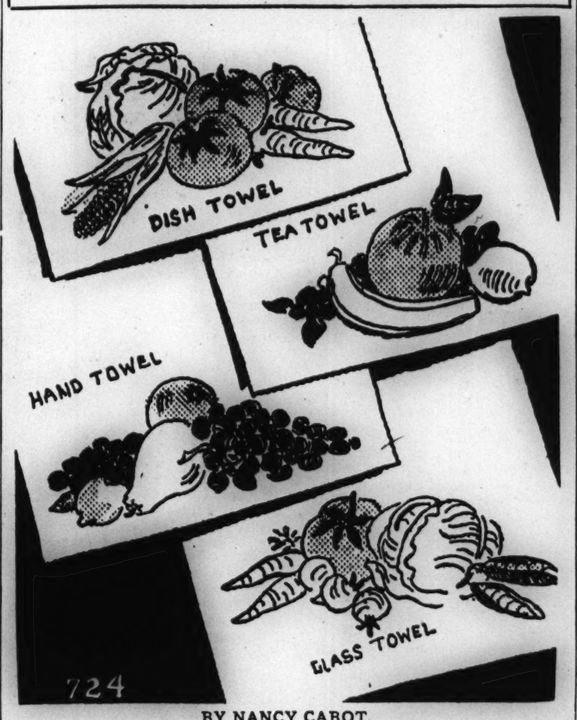
Perhaps it is more blessed to give than to receive, but there is a blessing, too, that attaches to graciousness in receiving, especially when the heart goes with the gift as it does with children.

How may a child be taught obedience? Should children be permitted freedom of the house? You will find answers to these and other problems in "You and Your Young Child." Mrs. Gladys Bevans' latest booklet, on sale at the Tribune Public Service offices, 1 S. Dearborn street and Tribune Tower. Price, 15 cents; postpaid, 18 cents.

Party for Children.

The West End Catholic Woman's club will hold a Christmas party for children Friday afternoon at the 19th Century Club of Oak Park.

Kitchen Towel Motifs



BY NANCY CABOT.

Now is the time to plan a "new dress" for the kitchen, and the usual household accessories, such as towels, curtains, potholders, etc., may be enhanced by the use of the clever fruit and vegetable motifs illustrated. The hot iron transfer pattern includes eight motifs measuring approximately 4 by 8 inches each, together with detailed suggestions for color schemes and descriptions of stitches.

For the hot iron transfer pattern of the eight fruit and vegetable motifs, No. 724, send 10 cents in stamps or coin to the Needlework Bureau, Chicago Tribune, 220 Fifth avenue, New York City.

Courtney, 47; Has Tenth Birthday as Prosecutor

State's Attorney Courtney was congratulated yesterday by members of his staff on the occasion of his 47th birthday. He was presented with two bouquets made up of 47 roses. Assistant State's Attorney Richard Devine, in the presentation speech, mentioned that the day was Courtney's 10th consecutive birthday as state's attorney, a record never before achieved by a Cook county prosecutor.

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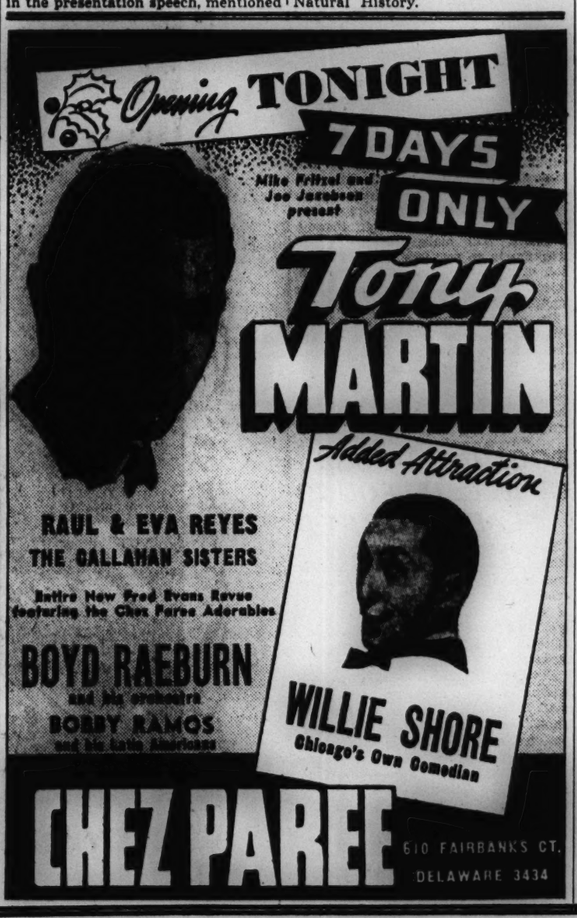
Museum Speaker.

Bert E. Grove will speak on "Adventures of a Fossil Hunter" at 2 o'clock today at the Field Museum of Natural History.



Families Gather Tonight Around Home Hearths

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be placed beside the Christmas tree in the north lounge for the club's traditional Christmas eve open house.

Miss Muriel MacChesney, who was making her debut at this time last year, will gather a group of her former Girls' Latin school classmates for luncheon at 12:30 o'clock today at the Arts club. Miss MacChesney, daughter of the Chester M. MacChesneys, now attends Vassar college.

A luncheon will be given at the Lake Shore club today by Miss Corinne Veale and Miss Billie Williamson for some of their classmates at the Roycemore school. Miss Corinne is the daughter of the William Veales of Glenview, and Miss Williamson's parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Williamson of Winnetka.

Miss Nona Benninghoven Becomes Bride Saturday.

Miss Nona Benninghoven and Lieut. John Stewart Walworth will have more than Christmas to make this week a memorable one for them, for they suddenly decided to be married on Saturday, when Lieut. Walworth found that he could have a short leave. The wedding will take place at 2:30 o'clock in the Howes Memorial chapel at Northwestern university. The Rev. Henry Hepburn of the Buena Memorial Presbyterian church will officiate. Later there'll be a reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley H. Knight of Kenilworth.

Miss Jane Benninghoven will be her sister's maid of honor. The two young women are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Benninghoven of Estes avenue. Edward H. Walworth Jr. will be his brother's best man. Lieut. Walworth and his bride will leave on Sunday for the south to live. Mr. and Mrs. Walworth Sr. live in Evanston.

THE Kitchen Kibitzer

By MARIAN CARTER

A look over the shoulder of the kitchen manager in an attempt to speed, lighten and add some novelty to her daily routine.

Out of bread again? Well, how about whipping up some cornbread in a quick-hurry? There's nothing better, especially if there's honey or jam to go with it.

Hereabouts we've got to have *yellow* cornmeal for our cornbread. Down south they'll have nothing but the white meal. And *we* put some flour in our bread for light texture, sometimes a dash of sugar, which makes southerners indignant. They don't like our cornbread, and we don't like theirs.

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You're wrong if you think peanuts are nuts. They're a vegetable of the legume family, like peas and beans. A nutritious, highly concentrated food, peanuts, but don't overdo 'em.

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You'll save yourself a lot of tears and sniffles if you'll buy one of those onion choppers enclosed in a glass jar!

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Do I smell cauliflower? Must be cooking too long! Remember, cauliflower should be snatched off the stove when it's *barely* tender.

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Doesn't it just discourage you to see someone eat the center out of a portion of camembert, leaving all that delicious rind on the plate? Why, the rind is the best part of that kind of cheese!

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Good sauce for that cold tongue: Sour cream with horseradish and mustard.

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You pronounce it mah-tay, and spell it mate or matte, depending on whether you're Mexican or Brazilian. It's a good pick-up beverage, looks and tastes like tea, and you're going to be hearing more about it.

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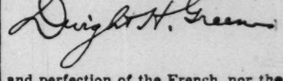
Add a third cup of grated cheese to your next biscuit recipe and use tomato juice in place of milk. M-mm-mm, but good!

TRIBUNE ADVERTISING FEATURES

Your Handwriting

BY SHIRLEY SPENCER.

The speed and movement in Gov. Green's writing shows that he is a man who swings right into action. His writing is typically American. Nowhere else on this earth does this free, spontaneous writing develop. It hasn't the stiffness and setness of the British writing, nor the elegance



and perfection of the French, nor the precision and heaviness of the German, nor the delicacy and rhythm of the Latin, and certainly not the involved complexities of the oriental. No, it's none of these. It's an energetic, restless writing, not too subtle, and too good-naturedly confident perhaps, but it has lots of steam.

Yes, Gov. Green has the driving action in his script which is typically Yankee. It functions best in a physical emergency rather than in diplomatic strategy.

That kind of emergency is here and I think this brand of high-pressured American action can snap a hysterical world out of its panic.

For your own Handwriting Analysis send 10 cents (in coin) and a self-addressed envelope bearing a 3 cent stamp, together with a sample of handwriting, to Shirley Spencer, Box 116, General Postoffice, New York City. (IMPORTANT: Write 25 words and signature in ink.)

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Choirs to Sing Carols.

The combined boy and girl choirs of the Church of St. Elisabeth in Glencoe will sing a service of carols and hymns at 11:30 o'clock this evening at the church.

AMUSEMENTS

GOOD SEATS ARE STILL AVAILABLE
SONJA HENIE
(IN PERSON) with Her
1942 Hollywood Ice Revue
DEC. 25—THRU JAN. 4
(No Performance January 1st)
75c—$1.25—$1.65—$2.20 and $3.30
CHICAGO STADIUM
65 W. Madison or 1800 W. Madison

SELWYN Nightly incl. SUNDAY 8:35 3 MATS. THIS WEEK
MAT. TOMORROW (THURSDAY) at 3 p. m.
Mats. Friday & Saturday, 2:35
JOHN GOLDEN presents
The Nation's Happiest Hit
"CLAUDIA"
by ROSE FRANKEN
2 SHOWS NEW YEAR'S EVE: 8:30 and MIDNIGHT
3 Mats. New Year's Wk.—Wed., Thurs., Sat.

ERLANGER TONIGHT at 8:30 MAT. SATURDAY
LAST 4 WEEKS—CLOSING Jan. 17
B. G. DeSYLVA presents
WILLIAM GAXTON VERA ZORINA VICTOR MOORE
Louisiana Purchase
The Musical Comedy Hit with IRENE BORDONI
Music by IRVING BERLIN
Book by MORRIE RYSKIND
NEW YEAR'S EVE—8:15 and Midnite

GRAND OPERA HOUSE Beg. Tomorrow
ENGAGEMENT ENDS JAN. 10
MESSRS. SHUBERT present
The Most Tuneful of All Operettas
THE STUDENT PRINCE
With the Famous Singing Male Chorus
EVES. 55c to $2.75 | WED. MAT. $1.10 to 55c | SAT. MAT. 55c to $1.65
New Year's Eve, $1.65 to $4.40—Tax Inc.
New Year's Day Mat., 55c to $1.65—Tax Inc.

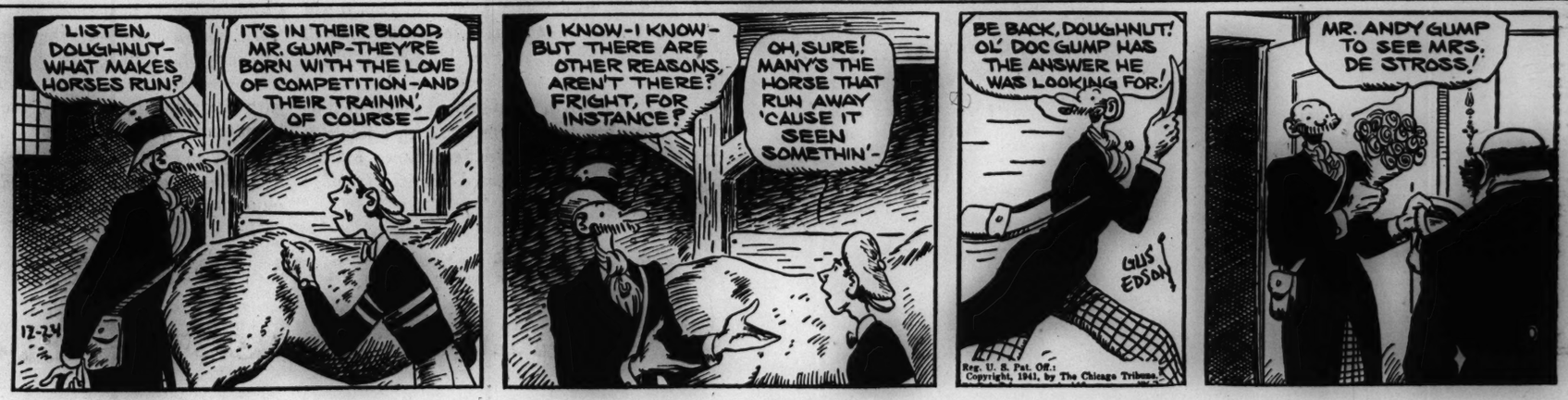
CIVIC OPERA HOUSE
This Friday to January 1
9 TIMES ONLY
Ballet Russe
De Monte Carlo
Eves.: 83c to $3.30, Mats.: 55c to $2.75
New Year's Eve: $1.10 to $4.40 (All Tax Inc.)
Box Office and Marshall Field's

HARRIS EVES. 8:30 Mat. Today
THE THEATRE GUILD presents
PAPA IS ALL
A NEW COMEDY BY PATTERSON GREENE
JESSIE ROYCE LANDIS
CARL BENTON REID
MATS. WED. & SAT., 2:30
2nd Play, Theatre Guild-A. T. Society

STUDEBAKER Every Night at 8:30 MAT. TOMORROW
A MERCURY THEATRE PRODUCTION
CANADA LEE in ORSON WELLES'
NATIVE SON
with JOHN BERRY PATRICIA PALMER
EVES. 55c to 2.20 Xmas & New Year's
Sat. Mat. 55c to 1.65 Mats. 55c to 1.65
New Year's Eve, 1.10 to 3.30
SEATS NOW ON SALE

GREAT NORTHERN FRIDAY EVENING
Sonda LOVE—John CONNOR—Frank PACELLI
Take My Advice
"TAKE MY ADVICE AND BY ALL MEANS SEE THIS CLEVER COMEDY."—N. Y. Journal. Eves., 55c to $1.65. Mats. Wed. & Sat., 55c to $1.10. New Year's Eve, 83c-$2.75—Midnite Show, 55c-$1.65. PHONE WABASH 6197 FOR RESERVATIONS!

THE GUMPS—CHRISTMAS SPIRIT?


LISTEN, DOUGHNUT—WHAT MAKES HORSES RUN?
IT'S IN THEIR BLOOD, MR. GUMP—THEY'RE BORN WITH THE LOVE OF COMPETITION—AND THEIR TRAININ', OF COURSE—
12-24
I KNOW—I KNOW—BUT THERE ARE OTHER REASONS, AREN'T THERE? FRIGHT, FOR INSTANCE?
OH, SURE! MANY'S THE HORSE THAT RUN AWAY 'CAUSE IT SEEN SOMETHIN'—
BE BACK, DOUGHNUT! OL' DOC GUMP HAS THE ANSWER HE WAS LOOKING FOR!
GUS EDSON
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MR. ANDY GUMP TO SEE MRS. DE STROSS!

REFUSE 'L' FARE BOOST PENDING JAN. 6 HEARING

Await Cross-Examination of Lines' Witnesses.

BY LAURENCE BURD.

The Illinois Commerce commission, after an all day hearing, denied last night the petition of the elevated lines for an "emergency" increase in fares from 10 to 12 cents pending cross-examination of the company's witnesses who have completed their testimony.

The commission, headed by John D. Biggs, indicated it would rule again on the emergency application after the attorney general's office and other parties have completed their cross-examination which will start Jan. 6.

The action was taken after Herbert M. Johnson, attorney for the lines, told the commission the company was failing $1,400,000 short of meeting bare operating expenses. Johnson argued the company could continue to absorb these losses and remain in operation. He estimated the proposed increase would bring $1,700,000 additional revenue a year.

Questions Lines' Evidence.

William R. Morgan, assistant attorney general, questioned some of the evidence on which Johnson's argument was based. Morgan contended that apparently the "L" is charging as current expenses $500,000 a year for maintenance and capital additions that should have been charged to prior years when the company failed to make any allowance for maintenance.

Morgan also told the commission that the elevated lines in 1940 and 1941 had shown a smaller operating "profit" rather than a loss on the basis of cash taken in and cash paid out. He argued that a boost in "L" fares might drive so many riders to use street cars, buses, or their own cars that the elevated lines' position might be weaker. The lines' proposal includes a rise in suburban fares from 13 to 15 cents.

William H. Sexton, city traction counsel, did not make a formal argument against the proposed increase. He submitted a copy of the resolution adopted Monday by the city council, stating the city is opposed to any boosts in car fares unless the present service is greatly improved.

Fought by Suburbs.

John F. Tyrrell, attorney for Oak Park, charged that the city's failure to submit a complete argument against the rate boost showed the "city has made a deal which will result in higher fares and will leave the commerce commission holding the bag." Tyrrell and attorneys for Forest Park, Evanston, Maywood, Cicero, and Wilmette opposed the increased rates.

The commission set Jan. 13 for the Chicago Surface lines to make oral argument on its application for an immediate increase in street care fares from 7 to 8 cents.

Federal Judge Michael L. Igoe yesterday entered an order, over the city's objection, releasing to the surface lines one half of a disputed reserve of $4,700,000 for city compensation set up since 1938 on the basis of 3 per cent of gross revenues. The court set the future rate at 1½ per cent. Judge Igoe also ordered payment of $1,818,000 semiannual interest on surface lines first mortgage bonds that was due Aug. 1.

STATE SUPPORTS 1,200 CONSCRIPTS ARMY RELEASED

Twelve hundred ex-conscripts from the Chicago area who have been unable to obtain jobs since their discharge from army training camps because they were more than 28 years old or had dependents are drawing a total of more than $21,000 a week in Illinois unemployment compensation funds. This was disclosed yesterday by Joseph W. Miller, deputy treasurer of the state department of unemployment compensation.

Miller said that from 20 to 25 names a day are being added to the list of former selective service men receiving such payments. The men get weekly checks of $18, provided that they earned a minimum of $225 in the 12 months prior to their induction into the army. The payments are continued for 20 weeks.

Officials of the Illinois state employment service reported that positions were found for 195 of the ex-conscripts during November. In addition jobs have been found for 80 other men thru the efforts of the Illinois Selective Service committee, organized by State Treasurer Warren Wright.

BENTON OFFICIAL HELD IN STABBING OF A DRAFTEE, 21

Benton, Ill., Dec. 23 [Special].—City Commissioner Fred Wilburn was arrested today in the stabbing of a young Benton draftee at a farewell gathering before he left for the army.

Wilburn, who is commissioner of public health and safety in Benton, furnished $5,000 bond before Justice of the Peace John Bell pending a preliminary hearing.

The wounded youth is Clifford Rice, 21 years old, who was captain of the Benton Township High school football team in 1936.

Young Rice and his brother, William, 23, were among 50 draftees who gathered at the Benton Community building where they boarded buses for East St. Louis.

Witnesses said Wilburn, who is about 32, got into an altercation with William Rice. Clifford Rice supported his brother and was slashed with a knife. He was given first aid and then boarded the bus. On arrival in East St. Louis he was taken to a hospital. His condition is described as serious.

CELEBRATE 60TH ANNIVERSARY.

Holland, Mich., Dec. 23 [Special].—Mr. and Mrs. Willis Smith will celebrate their 60th wedding anniversary Christmas day.

Seeks a Throne

[Associated Press Photo.]

ROSAMOND BLACKWELL.

Long Beach, Cal., Dec. 23 [Special].—Despite blackouts and air raid alarms Southern California expects to have its annual Sun festival and expects to crown a queen to reign over it. Rosamond Blackwell of Long Beach has announced that she is a candidate for the queenship.

OFFICIAL WEATHER REPORT

Highest and lowest temperature for 24 hour period ended at 6:30 p. m., central standard time, Dec. 23, 1941:

	H.	L.		H.	L.
East Central States.					
Alpena	40	37	La Crosse	38	35
Carbondale	64	49	Madison	50	41
Chicago	59	48	Marquette	40	35
Cleveland	58	47	Memphis	65	48
Detroit	55	46	Milwaukee	55	43
Escanaba	40	36	Moline	57	44
Evansville	65	53	Peoria	57	47
Fort Wayne	57	43	S. Ste. Marie	40	35
Grand Rapids	57	47	Springfield, Ill.	60	45
Green Bay	39	35	Traverse City	49	45
Indianapolis	63	49			
West Central States.					
Bismarck	39	9	Little Rock	57	44
Charles City	36	33	Mpls.-St. Paul	32	30
Concordia	39	28	North Platte	42	24
Des Moines	36	32	Okla. City	46	34
Devils Lake	33	10	Omaha	32	28
Dodge City	47	28	Rapid City	42	14
Dubuque	48	45	St. Louis	62	47
Duluth	28	25	Sioux City	36	25
Fargo	28	18	Springfield, Mo.	46	32
Huron	28	21	Wichita	41	30
Kansas City	40	32	Williston	38	19
Eastern States.					
Albany	38	20	Philadelphia	52	28
Atlanta	60	48	Pittsburgh	58	44
Boston	42	31	Raleigh	61	42
Buffalo	57	40	Syracuse	46	26
New York	50	33	Washington	57	34
Gulf States.					
Abilene	54	31	Mobile	76	68
Amarillo	45	21	New Orleans	75	62
Birmingham	68	56	San Antonio	67	44
Brownsville	69	60	Shreveport	54	47
El Paso	57	25	Tallahassee	73	60
Fort Worth	53	44	Tampa	72	66
Galveston	62	55	Vicksburg	66	51
Miami	78	75			
Mountain States.					
Albuquerque	41	22	Havre	48	22
Boise	39	35	Lander	24	1
Butte	29	5	Miles City	41	18
Cheyenne	37	12	Phoenix	64	30
Cody	34	14	Salt Lake City	34	21
Denver	39	12	W. Yellowstone	26	10
Pacific States.					
Fresno	54	43	San Diego	63	47
Los Angeles	58	49	San Francisco	53	45
Pendleton	43	36	Seattle	46	39
Portland	45	38	Spokane	48	35
Canadian.					
Battleford	20	3	Montreal	32	12
Calgary	42	21	Toronto	44	29
Edmonton	23	3	Winnipeg	18	11
Medicine Hat	44	10			

Precipitation in inches: Alpena, Mich., 1.86; Carbondale, Ill., .66; Escanaba, Mich., .47; Evansville, Ind., .50; Fort Wayne, Ind., .53; Grand Rapids, Mich., .98; Green Bay, Wis., .80; Indianapolis, Ind., .68; Marquette, Mich., .44; S. Ste. Marie, Mich., .66; Traverse City, Mich., .63; Des Moines, Ia., 1.63; Duluth, Minn., .51; Kansas City, Mo., 1.06; Little Rock, Ark., .80; Omaha, Neb., 1.20; Springfield, Mo., 1.31; Portland, Ore., .45; Atlanta, Ga., 3.34; Raleigh, N. C., 1.22; Syracuse, N. Y., 1.07; Birmingham, Ala., 2.12; Mobile, Ala., .71; Tallahassee, Fla., 1.69.

$140,000 BOND IS SET FOR YOUNG ATTACKER OF 20

David B. Steffey III, who has been identified by more than a score of women and girls as having raped them or attempted to rape them, was indicted by the December grand jury yesterday on three charges of rape and one charge of attempted rape. His bonds were fixed at $140,000.

The indictments were returned before Chief Justice Robert J. Dunne of the Criminal court several hours after the jury had heard witnesses. Judge Dunne ordered Steffey arraigned in court today. Assistant State's Attorney Julius Sherwin said he will ask for an immediate trial.

Steffey, who is 18 years old, and lives at 4818 North Kostner avenue, is a first year student at the Wilbur Wright Junior college. Steffey said that he committed the crimes to overcome an inferiority complex. Police eliminated him as a suspect in the murder of a woman on the north side a week ago. The victim was found beaten to death in a vacant lot.

LA GUARDIA HINTS HE WILL QUIT AS NEW YORK MAYOR

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—Mayor F. H. La Guardia, who is also director of the Office of Civilian Defense, told City Council President Newbold Morris today to "be prepared to assume" the office of mayor.

Pressed for elaboration of his remark, the mayor remained silent. He has declined to discuss recurring reports that he would give up his city hall job to devote all of his time to national defense.

The mayor made his remark after he had sworn Morris in for a second term as president of the council. After wishing Morris luck, the mayor said:

"Well, Newbold, I expect you to carry on when I am not here. Be prepared to assume this office."

Asked if he intended to see Winston Churchill when in Washington tomorrow, La Guardia replied with obvious admiration: "I'd love to see him but I guess he's awfully busy."

WALKER KILLED BY TRAIN.

Casper Kubes, 60 years old, 2526 South Christiana avenue, was killed yesterday by a Burington railroad switch engine just west of Cicero avenue, near 26th street, in Cicero. Police said he was walking on the tracks.

ARMY TAKES 95 BUSES TIED UP BY AFL STRIKE

Union Spreads Walkout Against Greyhound.

Cleveland, Dec. 23 (AP).—Central Greyhound Lines, Inc., today turned over to the army 95 buses tied up at Cleveland and New York by a strike of AFL motor coach employés. This action came as the union extended its three-week-old walkout to all parts of the Central Greyhound system, halting service from Boston to St. Louis.

Company officials said 50 buses from Cleveland and 45 from New York were serviced for use by the army at Camp Lee, Va., in compliance with a request from Maj. Gen. James E. Edmonds, commanding officer. The army acquired the buses on a rental basis for transportation of troops, but it was not indicated how long or where they would be in use.

Strike Is Extended.

Samuel Berrong, international representative of the motor coach employés, said a union committee notified Gen. Edmonds and the war department of willingness to "man and operate any or all of the requisitioned buses."

The strike extended thruout the company's system last night as Berrong claimed R. W. Budd, Central Greyhound president, refused to meet with the union committee. Central's operations were tied up at Boston, New York, Syracuse, Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, Chicago, Toledo, and St. Louis. Other bus lines serving these cities were not affected.

To Meet with Steelman.

Budd announced the company would continue to negotiate only thru federal conciliators and said representatives would meet at Washington tomorrow with Dr. John R. Steelman, head of the conciliation service.

The strike started in Cleveland Dec. 3, when 75 AFL maintenance employés walked out in protest against the 40 cent hourly wages paid seven cleaning women. The union contended this rate was 20 cents less per hour than provided in a contract which the company declared did not cover the cleaning women. The strike spread and additional issues arose, the union said, without defining them.

Chicago Garage Picketed.

The company's Chicago garage at 3418 Cottage Grove avenue was picketed yesterday, and the unloading of supplies there was halted. Company officials here reported that about 250 buses are idle in Chicago and other cities. Service from Chicago to Cleveland, Detroit, Toledo and New York has been practically stopped by the strike.

NEW PENNY MILK PROGRAM WILL AID 100,000 PUPILS

A penny milk program, enlarged to include several thousand more children, will be resumed Jan. 5 in 129 public and parochial schools and six nursery schools and community centers, James C. Hobart, district supervisor for the Surplus Marketing administration in Illinois, said yesterday. The program will benefit more than 100,000 children.

For one penny a child will be able to purchase a half pint of milk. The remaining cost will be born by the government. Allowed to take part in the program will be schools where a large percentage of the pupils come from families in the lower income brackets. The main purpose of the program is to increase the consumption of milk by children who are unable to buy sufficient quantities at regular prices.

Recommendations on the schools selected were made by Msgr. D. F. Cunningham, superintendent of parochial schools; F. O. Washam, lunchroom director for the board of education, and Joseph Meegan, chairman of the Back-of-the-Yards Neighborhood council.

ROOMING HOUSE OWNER IS FOUND SLAIN, ROBBED

Leo Becker, reputedly well to do, was found slain yesterday in his rooming house at 411 Milwaukee avenue. He was lying fully dressed in bed in his third floor room, his eyes and mouth taped and his hands bound. The room had been ransacked.

Detective Ralph Miller of the Racine avenue police said he believed that Becker was killed by men he knew, and that the killers stole upon him from behind, taping his eyes to prevent him from recognizing them and his mouth to prevent outcry. Miller said the robbers evidently had not meant to kill their victim, but had probably suffocated him with the tape.

Miller said he believed that Becker, who was 60 years old, had been unable to breathe thru his nose. Becker had operated the rooming house for years. He told Miller two weeks ago of being robbed of $200 but discouraged Miller from investigating, explaining that $200 was an inconsequential amount.

CITE STATE HEAD OF CONSERVATION FOR CONTEMPT

Circuit Judge Harry M. Fisher yesterday issued a contempt citation against Livingston Osborne, state director of conservation, and the three members of the state civil service commission, John V. Clinnin, Robert L. Hunter, and Ernest Hoover. Hearing on the petition was set for Jan. 16. Attorney Michael F. Ryan asked the citation on behalf of would-be game wardens, charging that the Civil Service commission failed to comply with Judge Fisher's order of Aug. 4 directing that eligible persons on the civil service list be certified and appointed game wardens.

ARMY AIR TRANSPORT CRASHES IN IOWA; FIVE PARACHUTE TO FIELD

Winterset, Ia., Dec. 23 (AP).—An army plane carrying three United States officers and two enlisted men crashed in a field near here today, after all five had parachuted to safety.

The huge twin-engined transport was demolished. Wreckage was scattered over a two acre area on the Dick Anderson farm two miles southeast of Winterset.

Fire broke out after the crash as gasoline spilled from one of the motors.

Lieut. C. W. Himes of the Ogden air depot, Ogden, Utah, was piloting and in command of the ship. Lieut. M. M. Coleman, also of Ogden, was co-pilot. Lieut. B. R. Fleet of the Middletown, Pa., air depot was their passenger.

Crewmen were Technical Sergt. E. Payne and Corp. F. J. Keel, both of Ogden.

It was the first time any of the five had made a parachute jump.

COUNTY TO ASK $1,200,000 FOR WAR PROGRAM

A plan for expanding facilities and services of the Cook county hospital and the Oak Forest infirmary to cope with the war emergency was submitted yesterday to Clayton F. Smith, president of the county board. The board immediately voted to request Gov. Green to call a second special session of the legislature to appropriate $1,200,000 for carrying out the program.

Dr. Karl Meyer.

The plan was drawn by Dr. Karl Meyer, medical superintendent of county institutions, and was based on an extensive survey of the hospital and the infirmary. In addition to Dr. Meyer's specific recommendations, Smith said it is hoped that one of the largest blood banks in the world will be established at the infirmary.

Dr. Meyer's recommendations include provisions for special guards, air raid precautions, auxiliary utilities, emergency cases, equipment and personnel.

FATALLY STRICKEN WHILE BOWLING.

Anthony Galiti, 37 years old, 2217 Clifton avenue, a laundry truck driver, died yesterday on the way to a hospital after he had been stricken with a heart attack while bowling in the alleys at 1501 Berwyn avenue.

PLEAD FOR MORE LAKE DIVERSION TO HELP WIN WAR

Appeals Sent to President and Secretary Stimson.

President Roosevelt and Secretary of War Stimson were urged by the City Club of Chicago yesterday to grant Chicago an increased diversion of water from Lake Michigan in order that the sanitary district may develop its full capacity to produce electricity and thus help industry in the production of armament.

Herman L. Ellsworth, club president, in telegrams and amplifying letters to President Roosevelt and Secretary Stimson, asked that diversion be increased from the present 1,500 cubic feet a second to 10,000 cubic feet a second. H. P. Ramey, assistant chief engineer of the sanitary district, said that an increase of 6,700 feet over the present flow would develop an additional $500,000 worth of electricity a year and save 50,000 tons of coal annually.

Last Legal Battle.

Illinois carried its legal battle for additional diversion to the United States Supreme court and lost there last June, but Ramey said both the President and Secretary Stimson have power to grant the additional flow. Ramey continued:

"The sanitary district now is using the 1,500 second-feet allowed, producing 8,200 kilowatts continuously in the Lockport plant. We have two new hydraulic generators and turbines. We now use one all the time and the second one-fourth of the time.

"If we could get an increase of 1,700 cubic feet of water per second, we could use the second unit all the time, and increase our output by 4,800 kilowatts to a total of 13,000 kilowatts.

Others May Make Plea.

"If we could get the 1,700 and an additional 5,000 cubic feet, we could also use three old units in that same plant continuously and produce still another 10,000 kilowatts, or bring the total up to 23,000."

C. G. Ferris, executive vice president of the Illinois Chamber of Commerce, said he will ask officials of that organization today to add their plea to that of the City Club.

Test Your Facts

Below each of the following questions are listed three answers. Make your choice, turn to page 26 in the Want Ad section for the correct answers, and mark your score:

1. Which of the following is called the City of Magnificent Distances?
[a] Washington, D. C. [b] Paris, France. [c] Rome, Italy.
2. What is the designed speed of the new battleships Washington and North Carolina?
[a] Twenty-two knots. [b] Twenty-five knots. [c] Thirty knots.
3. Crystallized fine grained limestone is called
[a] Marble. [b] Granite. [c] Chalk.
4. Where is the Vaal river?
[a] Brazil. [b] Australia. [c] South Africa.

HIGH OFFICIAL'S OUSTER SOUGHT IN DETROIT QUIZ

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 23 [Special].—Gov. Murray D. Van Wagoner announced in Lansing tonight that the ouster of Edward H. Williams, member of the Wayne county board of auditors, has been asked in a petition presented to him by Judge Homer Ferguson. Judge Ferguson is conducting a one-man grand jury investigation into the administration of Wayne county government.

The petition charges misfeasance, malfeasance, willful neglect of duty, and willful misconduct, the governor said.

More than a dozen firms doing business with the county were named as having paid Williams for his influence in awarding contracts for supplies and insurance. An architect was named as having paid Williams $2,000 a year for his appointment.

Williams was elected county auditor in 1933, taking office in 1934 for a four year term. He was reëlected in 1937 and again in the spring of 1941. Prior to that he served several terms as a member of the Detroit board of education. He is a Democrat.

'Undetermined' Verdict in Death of Couple

A coroner's jury yesterday returned "undetermined" verdicts in the deaths of Henry Walter, 77 years old, and his wife, Katherine, 55, of 1707 Dayton street. Mrs. Walter was found dead and her husband was found unconscious in their home Nov. 29. A coroner's chemist reported that Mrs. Walter died of carbon monoxide poisoning, possibly from a coal stove, and Walter died of uremia.

FELLED BY COAL GAS.

A fire inhalator squad yesterday revived Joseph Myers, 62 years old, in his cobbler shop at 2141 North Laramie avenue, after he had been made unconscious by coal gas.

WELDERS APPEAL TO ROOSEVELT TO TAKE SHIPYARDS

West Coast Strike Is Termed 'Flop.'

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 23 [Special].—While government spokesmen today called the shipyard welders' strike "a total flop," Karl V. Norris, national president of the United Weldors, Cutters, and Helpers, appealed to President Roosevelt to instruct the navy to take over immediate operation of all west coast yards.

The independent union head made his request "in the interest of national defense" in the face of denunciation of the strike by the Washington office of the union, the Office of Production Management, and other agencies as an "outlaw" move inimical to the defense program.

Proposes Temporary Operation.

Morris, who flew here from Los Angeles, proposed that the navy take over on a "temporary" basis and help obtain a "fair settlement" of strike issues. The union is seeking autonomy from the American Federation of Labor, complaining of oppressive membership requirements.

Dean Jennings, Office of Emergency Management representative, retorted that "there is no reason for arbitrating anything and there are no issues in which the government is interested." He said fewer men were on strike today.

Troops Are Removed.

Army troops were removed over night from guarding four yards, and skeleton picket lines at a few plants were the only visual evidence of the strike.

The yards chiefly affected in the bay area were those of the Todd-California Shipbuilding corporation and the Richmond Shipbuilding company. Mr. Jennings said 412 welders were working on the day shift at Todd-California, compared with 219 yesterday, and that Richmond had 458 welders, against 305 yesterday. The welders are fighting the AFL closed shop agreement with west coast yards, under which welders are required to belong to an AFL union. They contend they often must pay dues to two or more AFL craft unions and that those refusing to pay are being "locked out."

BEER CAN STOPPERED GAS TANK ON DEATH BUS, QUIZ REVEALS

Marshall, Ill., Dec. 23 [Special].—Lack of a cap for the 20 gallon gasoline tank of the NYA bus which overturned and burned, causing the deaths of 10 young passengers Dec. 17 near West Union, was revealed as the probable chief cause of the tragedy in testimony today at a coroner's inquest.

The deposition of the driver, Ferrell Williams, 36 years old, who was severely burned, said he had reported the missing cap to NYA authorities several days before the accident and had been told a new one would be ordered. He said he had been unable to buy a cap which would fit and had covered the opening to the tank with an empty beer can.

The six man jury empaneled by Coroner H. E. Swinford of Clark county brought in a verdict which confined itself to a finding that the boys were burned to death accidentally and made no mention of possible negligence. Testimony of six survivors failed to clear up the question whether there was a handle on the emergency door of the bus at the time of the accident.

WIFE MAKES UP, DROPS CITATION AGAINST MAN, 82

Judge Joseph Sabath, informed yesterday that Joseph Kelley, 82 years old, and his wife, Elizabeth, 67, had been reconciled, dismissed the wife's plea for a contempt citation against Kelley.

Kelley promptly invited the judge and the attorneys, Kernal Freeman, representing Mrs. Kelley, and Harry X. Cole, representing him, to New Year's day dinner on Kelley's farm at 167th street and Crawford avenue, Markham.

Previously Kelley had invited the judge to Christmas dinner, but he explained that some of their children by former marriages would be present on that day. Both have asserted that the children caused their marital discord, which led Mrs. Kelley to file suit for divorce and ask that her husband be cited for being $106 in arrears on support payments.

The judge stipulated that Kelley's three children and five grandchildren, and Mrs. Kelley's two children and one grandchild, shall not be present for the New Year's day dinner.

EFFECTS OF SMOKE FATAL.

Mrs. Katherine Magers, 83 years old, died in the West Suburban hospital yesterday after being overcome by smoke Monday night in her home at 1039 South Ridgeland avenue, Oak Park. Police said the smoke evidently was caused by disorder in an electrical connection.

YOU'LL REALLY HEAR THE JINGLE BELLS THAT CHILDREN DREAM OF!

IN A COMMUNITY AS BIG AS THIS it will take Santa Claus a long time to fill all the stockings that are hung, for he'll try not to miss a single one.

And so, very late in the night, he'll be starting back north . . . with a jingle of bells . . . as Donder and Blitzen and the rest of the celebrated reindeer team go prancing away.

Children always hear those bells in their Christmas dreams. But, this year, they will *really* hear them. So will *you* . . . and quite clearly . . . if you get up early with the children. Or later, you'll hear them faintly in the distance.

Really and truly you'll hear jingle bells. They'll be on every Bowman steed . . . on all the many routes of Bowman.

Their merry music may recall other Christmases when Santa came down the chimney to fill *your* stocking. But what we *intend* them to do is to bring an extra thrill to youngsters all over town. Quite likely they'll do that.

You see, many little children have never heard jingle bells on Christmas morning . . . never *really* heard them!

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ILLINOIS ROUTS NOTRE DAME, 48-29, FOR NO. 4

BROOKLYN'S THIRD PERIOD RALLY BEATS HAWKS, 4-3

BRANIGAN HURT AS AMERICANS LEAVE CELLAR

Boston Six Conquers Rangers, 3 to 2.

Ouch!

BROOKLYN [4].		CHICAGO [3].
Rayner	G	Lo Presti
Branigan	R. D.	Seibert
Field	L. D.	Wiebe
Mosdell	C.	Dahlstrom
Larson	R. W.	Hergesheimer
Krol	L. W.	Hamill

SPARES.
Brooklyn—Egan, Anderson, Thurier, Hill, Benson, Boll, Watson, Kelly, Armstrong.
Chicago—Cooper, Mariucci, D. Bentley, M. Bentley, March, Allen, Kaleta, Thoms, W. Carse.

FIRST PERIOD.
Scoring—None.
Penalties—None.

SECOND PERIOD.
Scoring—Hill [Anderson, Thurier] 5:08; Thom [Allen] 5:42; Watson [Boll] 6:26; Dahlstrom [D. Bentley, Cooper] 9:07; Hamill [Dahlstrom, Hergesheimer], 10:41.
Penalties—Egan, Cooper.

THIRD PERIOD.
Scoring—Hill [Benson, Thurier], 11:29; Watson [Armstrong, Field], 13:39.
Penalty—Dahlstrom.

Referee—Bill Chadwick. Linesmen—John Wilkes and Sam Babcock.

New York, N. Y., Dec. 23 (AP).—The Brooklyn Americans, with Mel Hill and Harry Watson each scoring a pair of goals, tonight defeated the third place Chicago Blackhawks, 4 to 3, and took undisputed possession of sixth place in the National Hockey league.

The victory, extending the Americans' winning "streak" to two games after a disastrous run of 10 straight losses, was marred by an accident to Rookie Defenseman Andy Branigan. Dashing back in an effort to stop Bill Thoms' successful scoring thrust, Branigan slipped and crashed into his own goal post. He was taken to New York hospital with a probable fracture of the right leg.

Second Period Is Busy.

After a drab opening, the teams packed five goals into the fast second period and when it was over Chicago led, 3 to 2. But Hill took advantage of a penalty on Cully Dahlstrom in the third period to tie it up with a long shot. Then Watson got the equalizer by grabbing a loose puck during a Chicago defensive lapse.

Red Hamill, continuing his high scoring for the Hawks, got one of their goals, the others going to Dahlstrom and Thoms.

It was the fourth meeting of the season between the teams, all three previous games going to the Hawks. A crowd of 7,385 saw the game.

The Blackhawks will meet the New York Rangers in the Garden Thursday night.

BRUINS WIN, 3 TO 2

Boston, Mass., Dec. 23 (AP).—The Boston Bruins outdrove the New York Rangers two for one to gain a 3 to 2 victory tonight before a 10,600 crowd in the Boston Garden. The triumph moved the Stanley cup champions a game and a half ahead of the Toronto Maple Leafs in the National Hockey league race.

BOSTON [3].		NEW YORK [2].
Brimsek	G	Henry
Clapper	R. D.	Coulter
Hollett	L. D.	Heller
Schmidt	C.	N. Colville
Bauer	R. W.	M. Colville
Dumart	L. W.	Shibicky

SPARES.
Boston—Cowley, Conacher, Wiseman, D. Smith, Crawford, Jackson, Cain, Hiller, Thompson.
New York—Watson, Patrick, Hextall, Jusda, C. Smith, Warwick, Tustin, Kuntz.

FIRST PERIOD.
Scoring—Dumart [Bauer], 2:20.
Penalties—None.

SECOND PERIOD.
Scoring—Kuntz [Warwick-C. Smith], 7:50.
Penalty—Jackson.

THIRD PERIOD.
Scoring—Schmidt [unassisted], 3:22; Conacher [Cowley], 5:28; Warwick [C. Smith], 17:57.
Penalties—Watson, Schmidt.

Referee—King Clancy. Linesmen—Ar. Smith and Bill Cleary.

WHITE SOX MAY LOSE KENNEDY IN NEW ARMY CALL

Bob Kennedy, the White Sox third baseman may be taking orders from Uncle Sam instead of Jim Dykes by next spring. Kennedy, who was 21 last August, escaped the first registration because of his age, but will register under the revised draft law, and Sox officials admitted yesterday that the athlete had no grounds for a deferment plea. In the event Kennedy is called into service Jimmy Webb will be moved to third base.

Hockey Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	T.	Pts.	G.	O.G.
Boston	12	3	3	27	61	34
Toronto	12	5	0	24	55	31
CHICAGO	9	6	3	21	49	45
New York	10	8	0	20	62	56
Detroit	5	9	2	12	35	49
Brooklyn	5	13	1	11	47	69
Montreal	4	13	1	9	40	65

MOON MULLINS—DOWN OFF HER HIGH HORSE

BOOM!
THAT SOUNDED LIKE A BOMB.
PHONE THE POLICE.
IT'S NOTHIN' TO GO GETTIN' EXCITED ABOUT, FOLKS - NOTHIN' AT ALL.
I JUST MADE MAMIE A BET THAT SHE COULDN'T HANG BY HER KNEES FROM THE CHANDELIER - AND SHE LOST.
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
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In the WAKE of the NEWS

BY ARCH WARD.

WHEN the American league retired Emmett Ormsby at the end of the 1941 season it added the sixth name to its umpires' pension list. . . . The others are George Hildebrand, Clarence Owen, Dick Nallin, Bill Dinneen and George Moriarty. . . . The latter, however, still is active in the league's promotional department and has not exercised his pension rights. . . . One toastmaster at a Nebraska football dinner was particularly flowery in his introduction of the Cornhusker football coach, working it up to a climax with, "And now I give you the best known man in Nebraska, the Cornhusker football coach, Howard Jones." . . . The White Sox roster published just before the 1919 training trip showed that 17 members of the squad had been in Uncle Sam's military service. . . . Lou Little of Columbia knew whereof he spoke when he remarked at Tulane university's football banquet, "There is no such person as a 'miracle man' among the coaches. Good coaching requires good material and good material requires good coaching." . . . Sugar Jim Henry, goalie of the New York Rangers, is the second National league net minder to make good in major league hockey on coming direct from the amateurs. . . . The other was Lorne Chabot, whose long career included one season with the Hawks after the death of Chuck Gardiner, in which he won the Vezina trophy. . . . Dave Rankin of Purdue and Bob Saggau of Notre Dame, who were teammates with the College All-Stars last August, have joined the Chicago Blackhawk Flying squadron and are stationed at Curtis airport in Glen View. . . . William Wendt, De Paul university basketball coach, kept putting off mailing Christmas cards. . . . Now he's glad he's a procrastinator. . . . At 5 a. m. on Monday he and Mrs. Wendt got a new name to add to the greeting. . . . The cards he mailed out yesterday carried the names Mr. and Mrs. William Wendt and William Jr. . . . The baby's Christmas presents will include a miniature basketball signed by the entire De Paul basketball squad.

Charley Grimm's advice to Cleveland's new manager, Lou Boudreau, was "never lose your sense of humor." . . . Ben Chapman will be paid $5,000 for managing the Richmond, Va., club next season. . . . Dutch Leonard, the Senators' famous knuckle ball pitcher, is operating a gas station in Springfield, Ill. . . . Chicago's Washington Park holds the record for money paid out for a daily double. . . . When Joy Bet and Merry Caroline won in 1939 they returned $10,772.40 to the Anna, Ill., man who held the only ticket. . . . Bulldog Turner of the Chicago Bears insists the T formation is a center's paradise and he predicts he'll be playing until his beard reaches way down to here unless Coach George Halas changes the team's offense. . . . Nat Hickey is playing with the New York Celtics basketball team for the 25th season.

Sudden Thoughts.

Judging from the latest reports from Moscow, it looks as if the Germans are going to be home for Christmas, after all.—Ecurb Thrasher.

Headline: "U. S. Subs Score Two Victories." Aren't you agog to see what happens when the first team goes in?—F. Feedore.

Read the other day that Mr. Roosevelt wrote a letter addressed "To Whoever Is President in 1956." I'll bet while he was writing it he was singing, "I'm going to sit right down and write myself a letter."—Eddie, the Pretzel Bender.

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They Really Were Sheer.

From the Austinite: "Her attendants were her sisters . . . the former wore a gown of pink sheer and the latter blue sheers, both with satin girdles."

—The Lou Tenant of the Mart.

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Merrily We Roll Along.

I fail to see how stopping the sale of automobile tires will help to conserve the rubber supply. If people have to go back to walking, they will all get tired.

This is what we may see in classified ad columns next year: "For sale —1937 Buick convertible with tires and full tank of gasoline."

—Clif of Canterbury.

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Heroes.

This war may produce many heroes,
Already it's given us some,
But here is a toast to a hero
Far from the battlefront glum.

A brave lad, in truth, is the man who can smile,
Unperturbed, undismayed, and undaunted,
Who can unveil a tie with gay sox to match,
And cry: "That's just what I wanted."

—Jazbo of Old Dubuque.

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Thank You!

In these dark days that try men's souls,
When war clouds sweep along,
We need new strength to brave the tide—
The poise of smile and song.
God bless the Wake this Christmas time
And thru the coming year,
To sprinkle on its prose and rhyme
The essence of good cheer.

—W. J. Griffith.

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Zombies Aren't Bad, Either.

The South Bend Tribune recently carried this head over a story from Bourbon, Ind.:

BOURBON SHOWS
HOLIDAY SPIRIT

It may be true, but my foursome believes you can do a much better job with Scotch.

—Lieut. Col. R. Otto Probst.

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He Got the Job.

In filling out a form for a clerk's position an applicant was perplexed to find this question: "How far is the sun from the earth?" After some thought he replied: "I do not know the exact distance of the sun from the earth, but I feel quite sure it is far enough away so it won't handicap me in the performance of my duties."

—Joseph Charles Salak.

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The Wake Depends	Help!
Upon Its Friends.	Help!

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Christmas Philosophy.

Our baby refuses to write to Santa Claus because she said she wrote to him last year and he didn't bring anything she asked for. However, the things he brought she liked, so why take up his time?

—Anne Jesty Rogers.

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What! Prohibition Again?

Headline: "Navy Says Kimmel Must Go."—Charles D. Dempsey.

Ten Years Ago Today—Due to poor attendance, the Agua Caliente track suspended racing. . . . The league leading Toronto Maple Leafs defeated the Montreal Canadiens, 2 to 1, in overtime. . . . Welker Cochrane defeated Willie Hoppe, 250 to 79, in two innings in their special 18.2 balkline billiard match.

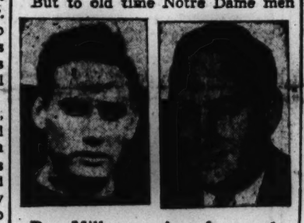
MILLER BOYS OF NOTRE DAME ARE MOVING RIGHT UP

Don of Four Horsemen Is Made U. S. Attorney.

BY JAMES COSTIN.

Don Miller, Cleveland attorney who was nominated by President Roosevelt yesterday to be United States attorney for the northern district of Ohio, is better known to the public at large as one of the Four Horsemen of Notre Dame.

But to old time Notre Dame men



Don Miller, nominated yesterday as United States attorney for northern Ohio, as he appeared when one of Notre Dame's Four Horsemen (left) and as he is now.

he is better known as one of five Miller brothers who, in the past 31 years, have been graduated from the Notre Dame law school after three of them had gained fame as Irish football players. Now two of their sons and nephews are again inscribing the family name on Notre Dame's football scrolls.

And, whether there's any connection or not is unimportant, but it is a fact that whenever Notre Dame has one of those Defiance, O., Millers, or their kinfolk, on its teams, nobody beats the Irish. That goes from as far back as 1907 up to the recent unbeaten Notre Dame season of 1941.

Red Was First.

First of the Defiance Millers to put in an appearance on the Notre Dame campus was Harry, known to all Notre Dame men as Red. He won the varsity center job in his freshman year of 1906, then switched to half back where he became one of Notre Dame's greatest stars. The Irish were unbeaten in 1907, lost only to Michigan in 1908, when Red captained the team, and were unbeaten again in 1909, when Michigan was one of their victims. The Irish and Wolverines have not met on the gridiron since, but will resume football relations next fall after a lapse of 33 years—and again Michigan will be confronted with a Miller or two.

It won't be Red Miller, of course, but two of his sons, Creighton and Tom, who will be in there trying to pick up for the Irish where their dad left off 33 years ago. Creighton was good enough to win a monogram last fall as a sophomore full back, while Tom, a half back, hasn't quite made the monogram grade in two years, when he found himself caught behind the Steve Juzwik traffic at right half. However, both Tom and Creighton have hopes of helping the Irish win over Michigan next fall, if only to keep their dad quiet when he feels like lapsing into one of his I-remember-when moods.

Then Came Ray.

The next Defiance Miller to show up at Notre Dame following Red was Ray, who had been a star high school player. He enrolled in 1910 and showed promise of winning a varsity berth right off, despite his lack of heft, but soon made the discovery that if he became a football player he wouldn't become a lawyer, so gave up football in favor of law. He later served a term as mayor of Cleveland and today is a prosperous lawyer in that city, as are his other brothers, except Red. The latter, a corporation lawyer, moved from Cleveland to Wilmington, Del., several years ago to become associated with the du Pont interests.

Following Ray at Notre Dame was Walter of the big, white hats, who still is rated one of the best full backs Notre Dame ever had. He was

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All-Star Football's Christmas Gift to the Needy

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December 19, 1941

Mr. Arch Ward, Sports Editor
The Chicago Tribune
Tribune Tower
Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Ward:-

We wish to make grateful acknowledgment of your letter of December 17th enclosing check in the amount of $12,544.81 from the Chicago Tribune Charities, Inc. to The Jewish Charities of Chicago, representing a portion of the profits of the 1941 All-Star Football Game.

In these troublous times maintenance of the work of Chicago's philanthropic organizations is doubly important, for in addition to the good such organizations do normally they must be kept strong in order to be in position to contribute to the solution of whatever problems may come out of the war. We must, indeed, "keep the home fires burning".

I was present at this year's All-Star Game and can assure you that my enjoyment of the fine spectacle you staged was heightened by knowledge of the good purpose to which the profits would be devoted.

Sincerely
H. Perlstein
President

Archdiocese of Chicago
Chancery Office
712 No. Wabash Ave.

December 18th, 1941.

My dear Mr. Ward,

I thank you for the Chicago Tribune Charities, Inc. check for our Associated Catholic Charities for $12,544.81 which is one-third of the profits of the All-Star football game of 1941 sponsored by the Chicago Tribune. This is indeed a great help for our charities at a time when heavy demands are being made upon them. Many of our poor will receive needed succor because of this generous donation—yet to me it is more precious because it expresses the deep sense of brotherhood which is at the root of our democratic institutions. However much it may be possible from the public treasury to relieve the material needs of our poor and underprivileged, such a course would destroy a spiritual something, expressed so emphatically by this donation, which goes into the very making of our way of living. It is significant in this day when a great daily newspaper undertakes to assist with its charity the institutions and agencies of charity existing in the bosom of American living supported by voluntary alms.

May I ask you, Mr. Ward, kindly to express my thanks and appreciation to the Chicago Tribune for this donation which at once relieves in a large way our poor and cements the spirit of brotherhood on which the greatness of our nation stands?

Sincerely yours in Christ,
+ Samuel A. Stritch
Archbishop of Chicago.

Mr. Arch Ward, Sports Editor,
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December 22, 1941.

Mr. Arch Ward,
Sports Editor,
Chicago Tribune,
Tribune Tower,
Chicago, Illinois.

Dear Mr. Ward:-

On my return from the east Saturday your kind letter of December 17, enclosing check for $12,544.81 payable to the United Charities, was brought to my attention. On behalf of the board of directors may I express our very deep appreciation and gratitude for this most generous contribution, representing as it does one-third of the profits of the 1941 All Star Football game with the exception you refer to. We are glad to know too that checks for identical amounts are being sent to the Associated Jewish Charities and the Associated Catholic Charities of Chicago. These substantial contributions will greatly aid the three agencies in their efforts to alleviate poverty and distress in Chicago.

May I congratulate you personally on your able management of the All Star game, which I attended and which I think was an outstanding event of nation-wide interest. Please extend to the Chicago Tribune Charities, Inc., our thanks and gratitude and the assurance that we will use our best efforts to see that the money which has been so generously made available to us will be used wisely and effectively.

With best wishes of the season, I am

Sincerely yours,
Edward D. McDougal, Jr.
President.

Expressions of thanks received from heads of three Chicago charities which shared in the net profits of the 1941 All-Star football game, sponsored by Chicago Tribune Charities, Inc. The game between the All-Stars and Chicago Bears was played in Soldiers' field Aug. 28 before a record crowd of 98,203. Checks of $12,544.81 were mailed to the United Charities of Chicago, the Associated Catholic Charities, and the Jewish Charities. The United Service Organizations previously received a check for $2,500 from the game.

Legalize 15 Round Bouts for Alaska and Hawaii

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Legalization of 15 round championship boxing bouts in Alaska and Hawaii is provided in a bill signed today by President Roosevelt.

Fort Custer's Athletes Busy in All Sports

BY WILFRID SMITH.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Battle Creek, Mich., Dec. 23.—As the huge fieldhouse here at Fort Custer nears completion—originally it was to have been finished last October—the athletic and recreation officers of the 5th division anticipate the capstone of their sports program. This will be formation of teams from the units of the division league to represent the division. The increased facilities at the fort will lighten the job of transportation to Battle Creek where the board of education gymnasiums and swimming pools, the Youth building, and the Kellogg recreation building serve the soldiers' athletic squads.

Brig. Gen. Cortlandt Parker.

Thousands of selectees have poured thru the reception center at Fort Custer and many have remained with the division or been sent temporarily to other camps for special training. The task of developing a sports program to supplement the physical training that is a part of the army program has been tremendous. It has been no more difficult, perhaps, than that at other army camps as they mushroomed to size transcending the growth of the military establishments 24 years ago.

Run Gamut of Sports.

Fifth division soldiers run the gamut of sports. They participate in football, baseball [the reception center won the national amateur baseball tournament last summer in Battle Creek], basketball, volleyball, soccer, touch football, softball, hockey, pushball, bowling, swimming, and when the fieldhouse is completed the tumblers and gymnasts will then have their innings.

Any large group of men will include several outstanding athletes, but under a selectee system based on physical superiority the proportion of athletes will be high. It is at Fort Custer.

Hank Greenberg, as all baseball fans know, trained at Fort Custer. Ken Silvestri, Yankee catcher, Gene Stack and Art Wummel are here now. Johnny Whiters is a well known heavyweight boxer. Hercules Renda, Michigan half back in 1940, and Willis Ward, former Wolverine end and track and field star; Carl Tolistam, De Paul basketball center, and Marv Colen, his one time rival from Loyola

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WEST. MICHIGAN QUINTET BEATS CHICAGO, 44-41

Menke, Phillip Get 15 Points Each.

College Basketball

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.
Illinois, 48; Notre Dame, 29.
Western Michigan, 44; Chicago, 41.
Bradley Tech, 46; California, 34.
St. John's, 49; Niagara, 46.
Columbia U., 39; Davis-Elkins, 34.
Naval Training Station [Norfolk, Va.], 45; House of David, 28.
Toledo, 52; Yale, 40.
Tennessee, 46; Xavier [Cincinnati], 36.
Montana State, 45; Kansas State, 38.
New Mexico Mines, 35; Oklahoma City, 19.
Brigham Young, 45; Idaho [southern branch], 28.
Oklahoma A. & M., 30; Wichita, 17.
Willamette, 41; College of Idaho, 27.
Utah State, 55; Eastern Oregon, 44.
San Francisco, 45; Olympic Club, 42.

TONIGHT'S GAMES.
Harvard at Michigan State.

Champaign, Ill., Dec. 23 [Special].—Illinois scored an easy 48 to 29 victory over Notre Dame for its fourth basketball victory here tonight. The Illini breezed into the lead in the opening minutes of play and, after 11 minutes, held a 21 to 7 lead.

Paced by Kenneth Menke and Andy Phillip, each of whom scored 15 points, Coach Doug Mills' five was never seriously threatened. At half time, the score was 23 to 13.

Coach Mills, again experimenting with young material, started Smiley and Menke at forwards, Wukovits at center and Phillip and Vance at guards. Art Mathisen and Charles Fowler were the only Illinois subs sent in until the final minutes. Coach Ray Meyer used a full squad of 15 men in an attempt to stem the Illini.

ILLINOIS [48].	B.	F.	P.	NOTRE DAME [29].	B.	F.	P.
Smiley, f	0	0	0	Butler, f	0	3	3
Menke, f	6	3	2	Niemiera, f	2	0	1
Wukovits, c-g	1	1	2	Quinn, c	2	0	4
Vance, g	3	1	2	Rensberger, g	0	1	3
Phillip, g	5	5	1	Pope, g	2	0	3
Mathisen, c	1	3	2	Bonicelli, g	2	0	0
Fowler, f	0	0	0	Hiller, f	0	0	1
Fulton, g	0	0	1	Faught, c	1	3	3
Parker, f	0	0	1	Sturm, f	1	0	0
Hocking, f	1	0	0	Singer, g	1	0	1
Dillon, g	0	1	0	O'Leary, g	0	1	3
Bergeson, c	0	0	0	Kuka, c	3	0	3
				Vinciguerra, f	1	0	0
				Fischer, g	0	0	1
				Curran, g	0	0	0

Free throws missed—Illinois-Wukovits, 2; Smiley, Mathisen, Phillip, 2; Notre Dame—Vinciguerra, Butler, 5.
Referee—Carl Burt [Manchester]. Umpire—Glenn Adams [DePauw].

BRONCOS BEAT MAROONS

Western Michigan's Broncos dealt the University of Chicago's Maroons their fourth straight basketball defeat before 1,500 in the Midway fieldhouse last night, 44 to 41. The Maroons led at the half and were not out of the game until the last 30 seconds, when a free throw by Myron Ballard, who had scored two minutes earlier, gave the Broncos their three point margin. Chicago led at the half, 20 to 19.

Harold Gensichen of the Broncos, who scored 16 points in the second half while his team mates made four, won scoring honors with 20 points. The Maroons were led by Jack Fons with 18.

The teams fought a close duel thru the second half until Gensichen swept under the basket to tie the score at 39-all with five minutes to play. Ed Nelson then dropped one in for Chicago, but Dick Slater tied the score again with a push shot. Myron Ballard then gave Western Michigan a two point margin, and added a free throw while his teammates held the Maroons without a shot for the last three minutes. Lineups:

CHICAGO [41].	B.	F.	P.	WEST. MICH. [44].	B.	F.	P.
Nelson, f	2	1	0	Gensichen, f	9	2	3
Zimmerman, f	1	0	1	Stevens, f	0	0	0
Fons, f	6	6	1	Slaughter, f	1	0	1
Heinen, c	2	3	0	Ballard, f	2	1	1
Crosbie, g	0	0	0	Loranger, c	2	0	4
Wasenberg, g	0	2	4	Elsner, c	2	0	2
Krakowka, g	0	0	0	Slater, g	3	2	0
Oakley, g	3	1	3	Maciaszczyk, g	0	0	1
				Mellen, g	1	1	1

Free throws missed—Mellen, Gensichen [3], Slater, Elsner, Heinen, Oakley [3], Fons.
Officials—James Enright and J. Travnicek.

SILVIO COUCCI KILLED IN FALL OFF HOTEL ROOF

Fayetteville, N. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Police Captain L. F. Worrell said tonight that Silvio Coucci, 26 years old, of New York, former star jockey, jumped or fell to his death from the roof of a hotel here yesterday afternoon.

Capt. Worrell said that Coucci was not registered at the hotel and that he apparently pushed out the screen of a window leading to the roof. Coucci was a private at Fort Bragg.

The former jockey enlisted in the cavalry about six months ago and was returning to his post after furlough. He booted home 215 winners in 1934.

Fight Decisions

LAST NIGHT'S RESULTS.
At White Plains, N. Y.—Al Hart beat Earl Lawman [8]; Larry Fontana and George Kochan drew [6].
At New York—Ernie Vigh beat Augie Arcilano [8]; Jose Torres beat Abie Kaufman [8].
At Brooklyn, N. Y.—Maxie Shapiro knocked out Ted Christie [2].
At Eau Claire, Wis.—Charley Burley knocked out Jerry Hayes [4]. Jimmy Collins and Paul Hartnek drew [6], Cas Ford and Ralph Leslie drew [6].

MILLER BOYS OF NOTRE DAME ARE MOVING RIGHT UP

Don of Four Horsemen Is Made U. S. Attorney.

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varsity full back in 1917, was in the army in 1918, and starred on the unbeaten 1919 team as a back field running mate of George Gipp.

Jerry and Don Miller came next. At first Jerry appeared to be better even than Don as a half back, but he lacked the strength and ruggedness of his bigger, but younger, brother Don and finally dropped out of the game altogether. Don made the grade as a sophomore right half in 1922, and against Carnegie Tech late in November of that year found himself on the field for the first time as a right half to Elmer Layden, at full; Jimmy Crowley, at left half, and Harry Stuhldreher, quarter back.

Horsemen's First Game.

That was the first appearance as a unit of the back field quartet which was destined, in its senior year, to ride into football immortality as the Four Horsemen of Notre Dame. Don, as the right half, was the heaviest of the lot, and he didn't do a pound more than 170. Layden, now commissioner of professional football, and Crowley, now head coach at Fordham, didn't do much over 160, while Stuhldreher, now Wisconsin's head coach and director of athletics, couldn't do over 155 soaking wet. But they could play a lot of football and not only went thru the 1924 season without a defeat but turned in a Rose bowl victory over Stanford as well.

The first line of Defiance Millers played out with Don, and Notre Dame's unbeaten seasons nearly did, too, altho the 1929 and 1930 teams went thru without a defeat and, also, without a Defiance Miller. Then came the second generation of Defiance Millers into the Irish varsity lineup last fall, and once again a defeatless season was chalked up—the first in 11 years!

There have been several other Millers who starred in Notre Dame football, but they were no kin to the Defiance Millers. There was John, a great full back in 1915-16; Edgar [Rip] Miller, now line coach at Navy and a regular tackle on the Four Horseman eleven; Fred Miller, captain and tackle of the 1928 team, and Steve Miller, full back in 1934-35.

TROPICAL PARK ODDS & JOCKEYS

FIRST RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Horse.	P.P.	Wt.	Jockey.	Odds.
Epizar	8	102	V. Phillips	12-1
Sky Argo	4	107	E. Campbell	2-1
Pure Oro	14	108	J. Breen	15-1
Roman Descent	10	110	C. McCreary	4-1
Parfait Amour	15	110	E. Smith	8-1
Patrol Flight	3	113	T. Moroche	8-1
Trimmed	1	110	J. Dattilo	8-1
Hunting Home	9	112	T. Atkinson	10-1
War Point	11	110	No boy	15-1
Patapsco	16	110	A. Beverly	15-1
Shadytown	17	107	No boy	15-1
Cautivo	5	110	No boy	20-1
Bo Blenheim	6	107	No boy	20-1
Queen Echo	7	112	L.C. Haskell	15-1
Old Smoothy	13	110	T. Atkinson	20-1
Old Book	18	110	V. Bush	20-1
Morning Mail	12	112	N.L. Pierson	30-1
Sweet Refrain	2	105	E. Hust	30-1

SECOND RACE—Claiming, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:

Jacobelle	10	108	G. Seabo	10-1
Chatlet	8	113	M. Peters	4-1
Marksman	11	108	K. McCombs	2-1
Tower Guest	3	106	E. Campbell	6-1
Sky Soldier	14	111	G. Seabo	10-1
Bonnie Golos	13	108	E. Smith	8-1
Speedier	2	106	W. Day	15-1
Day By Day	16	112	V. Bush	10-1
Peace Puff	15	111	No boy	15-1
Bagdad	1	111	No boy	15-1
Bay Bank	17	108	No boy	20-1
Sister Don	4	103	E. Hust	20-1
Michigan Belle	5	110	N. Pierson	20-1
Question Man	6	116	C. McCreary	20-1
Pure Briar	7	116	No boy	20-1
Call Us Too	9	108	T. Meloche	15-1
Ebony Reign	18	106	No boy	20-1
No Dough	12	116	W. Strickler	30-1

THIRD RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Perfend	6	108	J. Dattilo	8-1
Water Cracker	9	116	G McMullen	5-2
Winlette	12	108	W. Gillespie	4-1
Torch Gleam	7	111	J. Berger	6-1
Range Dust	10	116	C. McCreary	8-1
Speedy Booger	11	111	No boy	8-1
Ballinderry	5	108	V. Phillips	15-1
Chance Sord	3	107	J. Berger	10-1
Lady Infinite	13	108	W. Strickler	10-1
Moonlite Bobby	8	116	K. McCombs	20-1
Javert	4	116	G. Olivera	20-1
Lazarus	2	116	P. Keiper	20-1
Elooto	1	116	No boy	20-1

FOURTH RACE—Allowances, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:

Tide Way	9	110	E. Hust	8-1
Eire	14	116	J. Stout	3-1
Captain Rae	7	116	L. Torres	6-1
Airy Goer	3	111	J. Breen	5-1
Tomochichi	13	116	No boy	6-1
Jack's Girl	4	108	J. Dattilo	8-1
Baris	3	116	A. Schmidl	6-1
Automaton	18	116	T. May	10-1
Brother Dear	16	116	C. McCreary	10-1
Here Now	11	111	C. McCreary	12-1
Aunt Ellen	10	108	C. Mojena	15-1
Dark Stream	17	111	W. Strickler	15-1
Executor	6	111	No boy	10-1
†Calatan	12	116	K. McCombs	20-1
†Smart	15	111	No boy	20-1
High Clique	1	108	J. Breen	20-1
Pates Girl	2	113	N.L. Pierson	20-1
Out Front	5	111	No boy	20-1

†Babylon-Bryson entry.

FIFTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Boy Angler	5	115	C. Mojena	8-1
Old Rosebush	3	113	W. Day	4-5
Miss Goshen	2	110	K. McCombs	6-1
Equistone	1	115	C. McCreary	4-1
Scotch Trap	8	115	J. Skelly	10-1
George Lamase	7	113	No boy	20-1
Waugh Pop	6	115	W. Fagan	15-1
Wood Blaze	4	107	No boy	30-1

SIXTH RACE—Allowances, 3 year olds, 1 1-16 miles:

Homeward Bound	3	114	S. Young	5-2
Peep Show	2	106	W. Day	3-1
Belle Poise	5	114	H. Mora	4-1
Blue Warrior	1	114	E. Connelly	3-1
Sun Eager	4	111	J. Gilbert	4-1

SEVENTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1 mile and 70 yards:

Grebe	7	116	J. Skelly	12-1
Pomiva	5	108	W. Day	7-5
Advocator	3	116	C. McCreary	3-1
Magic Stream	2	107	J. Breen	4-1
Insolad	1	111	W. Strickler	6-1
Al au Feu	4	116	S. Young	15-1
Unknown Land	6	107	A. Schmidl	20-1

EIGHTH RACE—Claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1 1-16 miles:

Golden Lea	16	111	E. Hust	10-1
Spanish Way	15	116	K. McCombs	2-1
Priority	14	109	L. Dupps	10-1
Psychology	6	107	J. Dattilo	5-1
Port Spin	7	113	No boy	6-1
Cove Spring	12	109	A. Schmidl	8-1
Doug Brasbear	5	116	No boy	8-1
Flo Beau	10	116	G. Seabo	10-1
Canstag	17	108	L. Gyain	15-1
Verakes	8	113	S. Luca	15-1
Perth Amboy	9	116	P. Keiper	20-1
Trace Boy	3	116	No boy	20-1
Uncle Eric	11	107	J. Berger	20-1
Stinging	18	113	E. Connelly	20-1
Rio Vista	1	109	J. Chestnut	30-1
Bonny Clabber	2	113	C. Dickey	30-1
War Joe	4	112	No boy	30-1
Tough Bird	13	107	No boy	30-1

Daily Doubles

TROPICAL PARK.

Friar's Scout and Refulgent.....$211.20.

TROPICAL PARK FORM CHART

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FIRST RACE—Purse $1,000. Three year olds and up. Six furlongs. Start good. Won easily, place driving. Went to post at 2:02¼. At post 1¼ minutes. Winner, ch. f. 4, by The Scout-Friar's Love, by Friar Rock. Owner, H. H. Price. Trainer, F. Smock. Net value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, :22 4-5, :46, 1:11 3-5. Weather clear; track fast.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
FRIAR'S SCOUT	108	7	2	1½	1½	1°	1°	J.Breen	17.35-1
WELL ALLRIGHT	114	2	6	6½	4½	3½	2½	W.O.Huff	4.50-1
RUGGED ROCK	108	4	5	3°	2½	2½	3½	W.Strickler	3.40-1
MAYDIG	116	12	1	2hd	3½	4½	4½	M.Peters	5.90-1
HIGH NAME	110½	9	10	10½	6½	5½	5½	E.W.Smith	15.30-1
MISS HIGH HAT	106	9	9	8°	5½	6½	6°	V.Phillips	17.35-1
ALLEN'S BOY	114	10	7	7hd	7½	7½	7½	R.Watson	10.20-1
SEA FOAM	111	3	11	11°°	11°	10°	8hd	T.May	67.30-1
COMMISION	116	8	8	9°°	8°	8°	9hd	W.L.Pierson	14.80-1
STAGE BEAUTY	113	11	4	5°	9½	9½	10°	W.Fagan	3.65-1
MY LAWYER	116	1	3	4hd	10°	11°	11°	P.Keiper	18.10-1
BABY LYNN	113	5	12	12	12	12	12	A.Bodiou	49.40-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Friar's Scout, $36.70 straight, $14.90 place, $6.70 show; Well Allright, $7.60 place, $4.70 show; Rugged Rock, $2.80 show.

FRIAR'S SCOUT got away well in motion, assumed command at once, galloped along to stretch, where she drew away, winning easily. WELL ALLRIGHT finished with a good burst of speed. RUGGED ROCK, well up all the way, had no mishap. MAYDIG, away very fast, showed good early speed but weakened in last furlong. HIGH NAME finished fast. STAGE BEAUTY never was a factor.

SECOND RACE—Purse $1,000. Maiden colts and geldings 2 years old. Six furlongs. Start good. Won driving, place easily. Went to post at 2:33. At post 1¼ minutes. Winner, br. c., 2, by Display-Glamorous, by Nocturnal. Owner, Saratoga stable. Trainer, W. C. Winfrey. Net value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, :22 3-5, :45 4-5, 1:11 4-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
REFULGENT	117	10	1	1°	1°	1½	1hd	J.Gilbert	2.40-1
WISE COLONEL	116	2	5	2hd	2°	2°	2°	C.McCreary	1.50-1
ALETERN	116	9	6	4hd	5½	4°	3½	S.Young	76.80-1
LEIB LIGHT	116	11	3	3½	3½	5°	4°	P.Roberts	6.60-1
A ONE	116	3	4	5½	3°	3°	5½	S.Renick	3.70-1
JACK K	116	1	9	9°	7°	7½	6½	T.Meloche	42.45-1
LOOKOUT RASCAL	116	8	8	8°	4°	6°	7½	W.Garner	61.35-1
MICHIGAN TOKEN	116	7	10	10°	9°	8°	8°	N.L.Pierson	90.25-1
GAY CHIC	111	5	11	11°	10°	10°	9°	K.Craig	53.85-1
K ALBERT	116	6	12	12	12	12	10°	J.Lynch	70.30-1
†EASY JACK	116	12	2	7°	8°	11°	11°	O.Scurlock	42.45-1
AMERICA FORE	116	4	7	9½	11°	12	12	T.May	15.20-1

†J. K. Neville-J. S. Mulvihill entry.

Two dollar mutuels paid: Refulgent, $6.80 straight, $3.50 place, $3.80 show; Wise Colonel, $2.90 place, $2.70 show; Aletern, $13.80 show.

REFULGENT, showing a high turn of speed, opened a long lead soon after the start and raced along to stretch, where he tired but gamely held on to win. WISE COLONEL came with a rush and would have won in another stride. ALETERN closed very fast. LEIB LIGHT ran good race. A ONE tired badly in last quarter mile.

THIRD RACE—Purse $1,000. Three year olds. Six furlongs. Start good. Won ridden out, place driving. Went to post at 3:03. At post 1 minute. Winner, br. c., 3, by Sweeping Light-Attraction, by Brown Bud. Owner, Mrs. L. Lazare. Trainer, W. O. Hicks. Net value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, :22 3-5, :45 1-5, 1:10 4-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
BEAMY	107	1	3	2°	1hd	1°	1°	W.Day	2.40-1
DOWN SIX	113	5	1	1°	2°	2°	2°	J.Breen	1.90-1
REMOTE CONTROL	110	4	5	5°	4hd	3°	3°	W.Strickler	2.35-1
CHALDAR	110	3	6	6	6	5hd	4°	M.Berg	16.80-1
ALNED	112	2	4	4hd	5°	4°	5°	S.Young	6.90-1
FANTASTICAL	117	6	2	3½	3hd	6	6	J.Gilbert	16.75-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Beamy, $6.80 straight, $3.20 place, $2.20 show; Down Six, $3.30 place, $2.20 show; Remote Control, $2.40 show.

BEAMY was much the best. He was sent up on inside, raced DOWN SIX into defeat, drew out in stretch, but boy took no chances and rode out his mount. DOWN SIX broke fast, showed speed for half a mile, then quit. REMOTE CONTROL was kept out in the middle of the track. CHALDAR closed a big gap.

FOURTH RACE—Purse $1,000. Two year olds. Six furlongs. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 3:33. At post ½ minute. Winner, b. g., 2, by Pharamond II.-Catnap, by Supremus. Owner, Mrs. W. W. Adams. Trainer, O. Alexandre. Net value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, :23 3-5, :46 4-5, :57 4-5, 1:23 3-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
CATCALL	116	4	6	6½	4°	1°	1°	R.Watson	7.00-1
SAM HOUSTON	111	9	1	2°	1hd	1°	2½	M.N.Gonsales	53.55-1
DENNIS F	118	3	5	4hd	3°	3°	3°	C.McCreary	1.95-1
BAYRIDGE	116	6	8	8°	7°	5°	4°	C.Mojena	9.05-1
MUY VESTIDO	115	7	2	1°	2°	2½	5°	J.Lynch	1.45-1
SPREAD EAGLE	113	9	6	6hd	6°	6°	6hd	W.Day	14.00-1
FUEGO	113	1	9	9	8°	7°	7°	P.Keiper	12.10-1
OPPORTUNITY	111	8	3	3°	5°	7°	8°	T.Atkinson	26.15-1
WHISCENDENT	110	2	4	7°	9	9	9	V.Phillips	51.35-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Catcall, $16.00 straight, $9.80 place, $4.80 show; Sam Houston, $73.60 place, $12.10 show; Dennis F., $3.80 show.

CATCALL was kept out on the middle of the track all the way. He closed with a rush in run thru stretch and just got up to win. SAM HOUSTON, away fast, made MUY VESTIDO quit, then drew away, but weakened in the closing strides. DENNIS F., under a hard drive, finished very fast. BAYRIDGE made up a world of ground. MUY VESTIDO had speed for half a mile, then quit. FUEGO finished fast.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,000. Three year olds and up. Six furlongs. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 4:01. Off at 4:02. Winner ch. m., 5, by Uriel-Predicament, by Wayrood. Owner, Mrs. J. Torriente. Trainer, A. Torriente, Jr. Net value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, :22 4-5, :45 3-5, 1:11.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
AERIAL BOMB	113	6	2	2°	2°	1hd	1½	C.Mojena	3.60-1
EARLY DELIVERY	116	2	1	1°	1hd	2°	2½	J.Gilbert	1.90-1
TONY WEAVER	116	5	4	4°	4°	4½	3hd	T.Atkinson	5.05-1
DRUDGERY	116	7	3	3hd	3½	3½	4°	R.Eccard	6.10-1
SIZZLING PAN	116	8	7	7°°	6½	6°	5°	M.C.Peters	3.70-1
SUGAR	116	3	6	5hd	6°	5°	6hd	S.Howell	19.25-1
WOODVALE LASS	113	9	8	8°	7½	7°	7°	S.Young	52.60-1
VALDINA STAR	116	1	5	3°	5°	8°	8°	E.Cruickshank	97.10-1
SILENT WITNESS	116	10	9	9	9	9	9	P.Keiper	45.50-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Aerial Bomb, $9.20 straight, $4.30 place, $3.00 show; Early Delivery, $3.80 place, $2.90 show; Tony Weaver, $3.90 show.

AERIAL BOMB, away fast, raced EARLY DELIVERY into submission then drew away. EARLY DELIVERY, away fast, displayed good speed and held on well. TONY WEAVER moved up very fast in last half mile and was third in last stride. DRUDGERY had no mishap. SIZZLING PAN closed some ground.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $1,200. Three year olds and up. Six furlongs. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 4:29½. At post 1 minute. Winner, b. g., 5, by Display-Flighty Anna, by Flight of Time. Owner, Saratoga stable. Trainer, W. C. Winfrey. Net value to winner, $850; second, $200; third, $100; fourth, $50. Time, :22 1-5, :45 1-5, 1:11.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
VOLITANT	113	9	6	7½	3°	3°	1½	J.Skelly	9.00-1
DAILY DELIVERY	116	1	5	1°	1°	1°	2°	J.May	2.10-1
THE CHIEF	113	5	5	4hd	5½	4°	3hd	J.Stout	5.05-1
RED CHIP	113	3	2	2°	2°	2hd	4°	R.Howell	4.20-1
DISPLAYER	107	2	8	8°	6°	5°	5°	C.Ingess	14.55-1
DOUBT NOT	113	4	3	5hd	7°	6°	6hd	P.Keiper	3.10-1
GEN. JACK	108	4	4	3°	4½	6½	7hd	A.Schmidl	13.10-1
COUNT HASTE	109	7	7	6°	8°	8°	8hd	S.Young	30.80-1
BALLOTER	110	8	9	9	9	9	9	J.Chestnut	75.00-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Volitant, $20.00 straight, $7.20 place, $4.50 show; Daily Delivery, $3.70 place, $2.80 show; The Chief, $5.30 show.

VOLITANT worked his way up on the outside, closed very fast in stretch, and won going away. DAILY DELIVERY opened a wide gap early, dismayed keen speed, but tired suddenly. THE CHIEF was a fast going third. RED CHIP ran good race. DOUBT NOT was outrun.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $1,000. Three year olds and up. Mile and an eighth. Start good. Won driving, place same. Went to post at 4:57. Off at 4:58. Winner br. c., 4, by By-Pass II.-Running Briar, by Bright Knight. Owner, Mrs. M. E. Boerger. Trainer, A. F. East. Net value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, :24 1-5, :48 2-5, 1:13, 1:38 3-5, 1:51 3-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
RUN BY	111	6	6	5hd	5°	2hd	1nk	J.Breen	2.30-1
CHALLANTE	113	8	5	1°	1hd	1°	2°	C.McCreary	4.80-1
ARVESTA	116	2	1	2°	2°	3°	3°	S.Renick	6.20-1
DANCING LIGHT	116	5	4	3½	3½	4°	4°	S.Young	16.55-1
WANNA HYGRO	113	7	7	4°	4°	5°	5°	R.Harrell	4.05-1
ABYSSINIA	113	4	8	8°	10°	6½	6hd	E.Connolly	54.25-1
KNIGHTSBRIDGE	116	9	10	10hd	7½	7°	7°	T.Atkinson	17.75-1
WAR VISION	116	1	2	6°	9½	8½	8°	W.Garner	26.55-1
REST AWHILE	113	3	3	9°	8½	9°	9°	R.Horton	7.05-1
HILLBLOND	113	10	11	11°°	11°	11°	10°	P.Keiper	16.15-1
CONRAD MANN	116	11	12	12	12	12	11°	C.Durando	4.35-1
IRON BAR	113	11	9	10°	6½	10½	12°	A.DeLara	12.50-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Run By, $6.80 straight, $4.30 place, $3.80 show; Challante, $6.10 place, $5.00 show; Arvesta, $22.90 show.

RUN BY bumped his way thru entering stretch, closed with a rush, caught CHALLANTE in final sixteenth and won going away. CHALLANTE had plenty of speed and made a game effort. ARVESTA, away fast, showed excellent speed and fought out the finish gamely. DANCING LIGHT had good speed for seven furlongs but weakened in closing strides. WANNA HYGRO ran good race.

EIGHTH RACE—Purse $1,000. Three year olds and up. Mile and 70 yards. Start good. Won easing up, place driving. Went to post at 5:26. Off at once. Winner, b. f., 4, by Bob Rogers-Alverida, by Wrack. Owner, Mrs. L. Lazare. Trainer, W. O. Hicks. Net value to winner, $700; second, $180; third, $90; fourth, $30. Time, :23 3-5, :47 3-5, 1:12, 1:37 3-5, 1:42 3-5.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jockey	Eq odds
IDA ROGERS	108	2	2	2°	1½	2°	2½	W.Day	1.25-1
FRENCH TRAP	110	1	3	5½	5°	3½	3°	T.Atkinson	2.90-1
JEFFERSONTOWN	108	11	11	10°	7½	8°	3½	C.Ingess	129.05-1
AGRONOMY	109	12	8	3hd	3hd	4°	4°	T.Meloche	17.25-1
SWEEPING BOW	111	8	9	6°	4½	5½	5½	E.Hust	13.80-1
WEE SCOT	108	9	10	9½	6½	8°	6°	P.Keiper	13.20-1
ATTRACTING	110	3	1	7½	8°	7½	7°	R.Eccard	45.40-1
TRAUMELUS	108	5	4	1°	2hd	6°	8°	H.Lemmons	74.20-1
BUCKBOARD	113	6	6	4hd	9°	9°	9°	J.Stout	5.50-1
DOGGO	105½	7	7	8°	10°	10°	10°	J.Higley	81.60-1
CHANCE RAY	113	10	10	11°	11°	11°	11°	B.Cruickshank	18.40-1
GYPSY MONARCH	110½	6	12	12	12	12	12	W.Garner	47.10-1

Two dollar mutuels paid: Ida Rogers, $4.40 straight, $3.20 place, $2.90 show; French Trap, $3.30 place, $3.00 show; Jeffersontown, $16.10 show.

IDA ROGERS drew away in last half mile and was only galloping at end. FRENCH TRAP was shuffled back in early part, then closed very fast when clear. JEFFERSONTOWN finished with a good burst of speed. AGRONOMY was well up all the way. TRAUMELUS had speed for six furlongs, then tired.

RACE FANS BET $517,382,107 IN BIGGEST SEASON

Survey Shows Increase in All States.

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—Every racing state in the country reported a boom on betting for 1941. Horse players wagered $517,382,107. This was over $100,000,000 more than in 1940, in the 16 states reporting in the annual Associated Press survey.

The same 16 states reported their revenues from racing was $20,863,946.67, some $5,000,000 over what it was last year.

As was expected, New York, with a total of $133,982,574 in wagers and a take estimated at $7,500,000 going to the state, led all the rest for its second year under the mutuel system. The betting handle averaged over $750,000 daily for the season.

All Show Increase.

Every one of the 16 states showed a big boost in total wagering, and all but Michigan, despite an increase of $2,413,000 in betting, reported it did better in cutting up the proceeds.

Michigan, still taking only its small piece in license fees and passing up the heavy money from a cut of the handle, collected only $173,925, although $12,353,851 was bet. This compared with $178,250 state racing revenue last year, when only $9,940,083 was bet.

Illinois put a 2 per cent tax on the mutuel handles this year as well as continuing the usual revenue from license fees and admissions. The result was that while the players were betting $13,141,000 more than in 1940, the state's take skyrocketed from $614,059.60 in 1940 to $1,790,152.32 in 1941.

New York Leads Way.

Betting in three states soared more than $10,000,000 over 1940 with New York leading the way with a $30,281,648 increase. California and Illinois were the others. Two states—New York and California—had over $100,000,000 wagered. Five had over $40,000,000 and 10 had $10,000,000 or more.

Eight states—New York, California, Illinois, Maryland, Florida, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, and New Hampshire—took more than $1,000,000 from the sport.

Following are the figures for betting and revenue by states, listed in order of the states' revenue:

	1941 Days.	1941 Wagers.	1940 Days.	1940 Wagers.
N. Y.	178	$133,982,574	178	$103,700,926
Cal.	284	100,090,417	268	78,548,792
Illinois	228	60,007,214	198	46,865,737
Md.	100	41,853,697	100	31,942,731
*Fla.	96	42,048,598	96	41,787,876
R. I.	105	32,596,101	60	23,840,495
Mass.	60	24,447,380	60	22,447,222
N. H.	66	19,284,484	60	14,924,086
Del.	30	11,436,113	30	9,238,255
Ark.	30	3,727,867	30	3,185,182
Wash.	73	3,925,133	75	3,567,855
Ky.	79	12,325,859	77	10,309,935
Mich.	69	12,353,851	65	9,940,083
Ohio	236	8,182,550	257	7,506,267
†W. Va.	92	8,000,000	92	6,865,440
‡Neb.	66	2,250,000	66	2,000,000
Tls.	1,786	$517,382,107	1,710	$416,654,882

	1941 State Profit.	1940 State Profit.
†New York	$ 7,500,000.00	$ 6,006,367.35
California	4,018,918.00	3,141,951.00
Illinois	1,790,152.32	614,059.60
†Maryland	1,552,288.70	1,318,066.96
*Florida	1,288,451.94	804,919.78
Rhode Island	1,140,863.00	934,417.32
Massachusetts	1,070,014.87	977,321.03
N. Hampshire	1,004,803.39	780,008.02
Delaware	448,711.34	318,053.65
Arkansas	220,219.05	190,458.80
Washington	196,256.60	178,392.75
Kentucky	176,687.55	161,603.55
Michigan	173,925.00	178,250.00
Ohio	130,305.00	109,761.00
†West Virginia	113,000.00	94,074.40
‡Nebraska	39,375.00	35,000.00
Totals	$20,863,946.67	$15,833,301.11

*Figures kept by fiscal season.
‡Estimated.
†Estimated for 1941.
‡Does not include revenue from track's net profit.

Woman Basketball Coach Starts Her 16th Season

Johnston City, Ill., Dec. 23 [Special].—Mrs. Pearl Rushing, principal at Spillertown, near here, is coaching the school's basketball team for the sixteenth year. She has turned out several grade school championship teams and has seen boys she started become stars on high school and college teams.

Among Camp Custer's Stars

Willis Ward, former Michigan track star now in training at Fort Custer, Battle Creek, Mich., is one of the many superior athletes at the post. Ward inspects breech of a field gun.

Fort Custer's Athletes Busy in All Sports

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university, are other well known athletes in this camp.

Operated Thru Athletic Council.

Maj. Clare Passink, former track star at Michigan State college who at one time held the Central Collegiate conference high hurdle record, is morale officer of the 5th division and the attached troops. Maj. Harry E. Cooper is morale officer of the post. Lieut. Owen T. McConnell is athletic officer for the post. Most active of the post command is the reception center, possibly because of its permanence. Capt. George D. Zegolis is athletic and recreation officer.

The divisional league is operated thru an athletic council supervised by Maj. Passink. Twelve athletic officers are members of the council. They represent three infantry regiments of the division [2d, 10th, and 11th]; three artillery battalions [46th, 21st, and 50th], the quartermaster and medical battalions, the 7th engineers, and the special troops. These are the signal corps, reconnaissance, and military police.

Each of these athletic officers in turn supervises the athletic council of his unit. These regimental or battalion councils are composed of the company athletic officers.

Expect Strong Basketball Team.

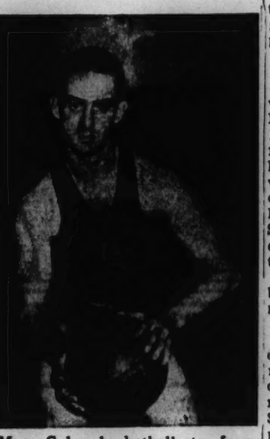
Basketball is under way. The divisional team, which will be organized next month, will rival the teams at Chanute field and Great Lakes Naval Training station. Brig. Gen. Cortlandt Parker, commanding officer of the 5th infantry division, has approved with the natural reservation that the competition must not interfere in any way with the training of the soldiers. Funds for equipment are available.

Soldier boxers will compete in the Battle Creek Golden Gloves tournament. The champions then advance to the western Michigan tournament conducted by the Grand Rapids Press. These title holders are eligible for the Tournament of Champions in the Chicago Stadium in February. Battle Creek Golden Gloves officials assisted in conducting the successful summer tournament at the camp. As soon as the field house is completed Maj. Passink plans for each regiment to hold a boxing tournament. The winners will be eligible for the camp tournament.

Generous in Granting Facilities.

Battle Creek has been most generous with its facilities for athletics and recreation. The board of education has granted use of three gymnasiums every night except Saturday. Two swimming pools are used twice a week. The company basketball leagues play in the Kellogg Recreation building from 1 p. m. until 10 p. m. on Wednesday. The swimming pool of the recreation center in downtown Battle Creek, said to be the third largest in the world, is leased on Wednesday afternoon for a nominal fee that does not pay for maintenance. The Youth building is turned over to the army on Sunday from 1 p. m. until 9 p. m. It has two gymnasiums and a swimming pool.

The sports program is complete. But when the field house is completed, Custer men say their divisional teams will match any in the 6th corps area.



Marv Colen, basketball star from Loyola, is a member of the 5th division.

HOPPE SUBMITS ENTRY TO DEFEND 3 CUSHION TITLE

Champion Will Seek Third Straight Crown.

Willie Hoppe of New York, defending champion, yesterday submitted his entry for the 1942 world championship three cushion billiard tournament, which opens Jan. 9, in the Terrace Casino of the Morrison hotel for a two week stand. The tournament is sponsored by the Billiard Association of America, under the direction of Charles C. Peterson.

Hoppe has been 36-37ths perfect in three cushion championship competition during the last two years. He amazed billiard fans in the 1940 tourney, when he won 20 consecutive games—a feat unprecedented in championship billiards.

Loses Only to Cochran.

Before the 1941 meet, Hoppe accepted a challenge by Jake Schaefer, who finished second in 1940, but after Hoppe had piled up a substantial lead,

NORWAY'S STARS CHOOSE JAIL TO 'CO-OPERATION'

Brede Cleophas, Skater, Tells of Campaign.

BY HOWARD BARRY.

A young Norwegian army man, Brede Cleophas, spent a few hours in Chicago yesterday and told about a campaign of noncoöperation which has landed a number of his country's world famous skaters and skiers in Quisling's jails.

Cleophas, who won the world's junior speed skating championship in 1938, escaped to the United States after being wounded in the German attack on Norway. After recovering in a hospital under German guard, he got away on skis to Sweden, caught a plane to Moscow, went by rail to Odessa, then travelled by boat thru the Suez canal and around the Cape of Good Hope to New York.

There is a possibility that Chicago skating fans may see him perform in a race to raise funds for Norway's exiled air force. He's going to test out his wounded knee and, if it has healed sufficiently, he hopes to go into a match with Leo Freisinger, Chicago skating star who was a member of the American Olympic team.

Quislings Jail Ruud.

Cleophas said that the Nazis have attempted to get Norwegian athletes to coöperate in sporting programs in an effort to improve relations with the conquered countries. With one exception the Norwegian Olympic team has solidly refused to participate. Berger Ruud, perennial skiing champion of the world, is now in jail because he refuses to perform under the auspices of the Quisling government.

Einar Ostby, another Norwegian star, attempted to get out of the country to join the exiled fighting forces but he was caught and is now in prison.

Cleophas said that Michael Staksrud, 1935 world's champion speed skater, who was reported to have been shot by his own countrymen for traitorous activities, actually was one of the Norwegian martyrs. He was engaged in secret service work and was executed by the Germans.

Won't Talk About Escape.

Cleophas stated that the only member of the Olympic team who is cooperating with the Quisling régime is Hans Engenstangen.

Cleophas, who is a youngster of 19, speaks cautiously about his escape and refrains from giving any details lest they should implicate the friends who helped him get away. He is now drilling in Canada with other exiled members of the Norwegian forces but he was granted a brief Christmas furlough to visit one of his relatives, Mrs. G. E. Cleophas of Beloit, Wis.

NATIONAL LEAGUE PITCHING RECORDS, 1941

PITCHERS WHO PITCHED AT LEAST 10 COMPLETE GAMES BASED ON PERCENTAGE OF EARNED RUNS PER NINE INNING GAME. LOWEST

Rating E.R.	P.C.		Games pitched	Innings pitched	Games won	Games lost	Pct. won and lost	Batsmen facing pitcher	Base hits	Hit batsmen	Bases on balls	Strikeouts	Wild pitches	Total runs	Runs earned	Shutouts	Average runs earned per 9 inning game.
1	1	Riddle, Cincinnati	33	217	19	4	.826	884	180	5	59	80	2	68	54	2	2.24
2	4	Wyatt, Brooklyn	38	288	22	10	.688	1,147	223	2	82	176	2	89	75	2	2.34
3	3	White, St. Louis	32	210	17	7	.708	866	169	6	70	117	3	72	56	2	2.40
4	9	Walters, Cincinnati	37	302	19	15	.559	1,252	292	2	88	129	7	108	95	2	2.83
5	11	VanderMeer, Cin	33	226	18	13	.582	945	172	1	126	202	3	83	71	2	2.83
6	6	Davis, Brooklyn	28	154	13	7	.650	617	141	2	27	80	4	58	51	2	2.98
7	8	Butcher, Pittsburgh	33	236	17	12	.586	1,017	249	1	66	61	3	98	80	3	3.05
8	14	Tobin, Boston	33	238	12	12	.500	981	229	0	60	61	1	91	82	3	3.10
9	2	Higbe, Brooklyn	48	208	22	9	.710	1,266	244	6	132	121	9	123	104	3	3.14
10	5	Warneke, St. Louis	37	246	17	9	.654	1,014	227	3	82	83	0	100	86	3	3.15
11	10	Olsen, Chicago	37	186	10	8	.556	807	202	1	59	73	2	84	65	3	3.15
12	17	Derringer, Cin	29	228	12	14	.462	950	233	0	54	76	2	91	84	3	3.32
13	14	Passeau, Chicago	34	231	14	14	.500	993	262	1	52	80	2	99	86	3	3.35
14	13	Schumacher, N. Y.	30	206	12	10	.545	864	187	5	79	63	3	81	77	3	3.36
15	14	Heintzelman, Phila	35	196	11	11	.500	853	206	1	83	81	4	91	75	3	3.44
16	12	Hubbell, New York	26	164	11	9	.550	705	160	2	53	75	4	72	65	3	3.57
17	18	Sewell, Pittsburgh	39	249	14	17	.452	1,055	225	3	84	126	5	103	93	3	3.72
18	19	Lee, Chicago	28	167	8	14	.364	723	179	2	43	62	6	87	70	3	3.77
19	7	Cooper, St. Louis	29	187	13	9	.591	800	175	3	69	118	7	88	81	3	3.90
20	20	Salvo, Boston	35	195	7	16	.304	862	192	4	93	67	5	103	88	4	4.06

Balks—Tobin, 1. Ties—Warneke, 2; White, Butcher, Higbe, Schumacher, Sewell, 1 each.

PITCHERS IN 10 OR MORE GAMES BUT NOT PITCHING 10 COMPLETE GAMES.

	Games pitched	Innings pitched	Games won	Games lost	Pct. won and lost	Batsmen facing pitcher	Base hits	Hit batsmen	Bases on balls	Strikeouts	Wild pitches	Total runs	Runs earned	Shutouts	Average runs earned per 9 inning game.
Fitzsimmons, Brooklyn	13	83	6	1	.857	351	78	2	26	19	0	33	19	2	2.06
Dietz, Pittsburgh	33	100	7	2	.778	416	88	2	33	22	1	28	26	2	2.34
Earley, Boston	33	130	6	8	.429	570	120	3	46	54	1	52	39	2	2.53
Allen, Brooklyn	11	57	3	0	1.000	218	38	0	12	21	0	18	16	2	2.53
Lanier, St. Louis	35	153	10	8	.556	628	126	1	59	93	2	59	48	2	2.82
Nahem, St. Louis	26	82	5	2	.714	359	76	2	38	31	4	35	27	2	2.96
Bowman, Pittsburgh	18	69	3	2	.600	310	77	1	28	22	1	24	23	2	3.00
Melton, New York	42	194	8	11	.421	818	181	2	61	100	2	80	65	2	3.02
Gumbert, 5 N. Y.-33 St. L.	38	177	12	6	.667	744	173	1	48	62	4	72	60	2	3.05
Brown, 1 Pitts.-24 Bklyn	25	44	3	2	.600	187	33	1	24	22	2	17	15	2	3.07
Fressell, Chicago	29	70	5	3	.625	301	60	4	23	27	0	26	24	2	3.09
Turner, Cincinnati	23	113	6	4	.600	465	120	1	24	34	1	49	39	2	3.11
Lanning, Pittsburgh	34	176	11	11	.500	742	175	0	47	41	2	72	61	2	3.12
Brown, New York	31	57	1	5	.167	236	49	0	21	30	1	23	21	2	3.32
Mooty, Chicago	33	153	8	9	.471	643	143	2	56	45	3	69	57	2	3.35
Eaves, Chicago	12	59	3	3	.500	246	56	3	21	24	0	27	23	2	3.51
Johnson, Boston	43	183	7	15	.318	793	189	5	71	70	2	92	72	2	3.54
Pearson, Philadelphia	48	136	4	14	.222	616	139	8	70	38	2	75	54	2	3.57
Sullivan, 16 Boston-16 Pitts.	32	92	6	3	.667	417	100	2	48	21	6	52	37	2	3.62
Kimball, Brooklyn	15	52	3	1	.750	225	43	0	29	17	0	22	21	2	3.63
Wyatt, Brooklyn	16	32	1	2	.333	137	30	1	8	8	0	14	13	2	3.66
Erickson, Chicago	32	141	5	7	.417	615	126	2	64	85	4	70	58	2	3.70
Beggs, Cincinnati	37	57	4	3	.571	258	57	0	27	19	1	29	24	2	3.79
Crouch, 20 Phil.-18 St. L.	38	104	3	5	.375	435	110	0	31	41	3	47	44	2	3.81
Carpenter, New York	29	132	11	6	.647	567	138	2	42	42	1	71	56	2	3.82
Hutchinson, St. Louis	29	47	1	5	.167	185	32	2	19	21	0	23	20	2	3.83
Grissom, 4 Bklyn.-29 Phil.	33	143	2	13	.133	626	130	2	78	79	8	72	61	2	3.84
Casey, Brooklyn	45	162	14	11	.560	682	155	1	57	61	2	81	70	2	3.89
Klinger, Pittsburgh	35	117	9	4	.692	499	127	1	30	36	2	58	51	2	3.92
Lohrman, New York	33	159	9	10	.474	692	184	0	40	61	3	87	71	2	4.02
Krist, St. Louis	37	114	10	0	1.000	476	107	1	35	36	1	57	51	2	4.03
Hutchings, 8 Cin.-36 Boston	44	107	1	6	.143	466	123	4	26	41	2	63	49	2	4.12
Hamlin, Brooklyn	30	136	8	8	.500	581	139	2	41	58	0	75	64	2	4.24
Javery, Boston	34	161	10	11	.476	720	181	6	65	54	2	88	77	2	4.30
Page, Chicago	35	48	2	2	.500	223	48	2	30	17	2	24	23	2	4.31
Drake, Brooklyn	10	25	1	1	.500	104	26	0	9	12	2	13	12	2	4.32
Moore, Cincinnati	23	62	2	1	.667	300	62	3	45	17	0	35	30	2	4.35
Hughes, Philadelphia	34	170	9	14	.391	765	187	4	82	59	1	106	84	2	4.45
Blanton, Philadelphia	28	164	6	13	.316	726	186	3	57	64	6	98	82	2	4.50
French, 26 Chi.-6 Bklyn	32	154	5	14	.263	688	177	3	47	68	1	94	77	2	4.50
Raffensberger, Chicago	10	18	0	1	.000	73	17	0	7	5	0	9	9	2	4.50
Johnson, Philadelphia	39	163	5	13	.294	738	207	1	54	80	1	91	82	2	4.53
Wilkie, Pittsburgh	26	79	2	4	.333	362	90	1	40	16	4	42	40	2	4.56
Podrajny, Philadelphia	34	181	9	12	.429	793	191	4	70	53	4	96	93	2	4.62
Beck, Philadelphia	34	95	1	9	.100	421	104	2	35	34	2	52	49	2	4.64
Melton, Philadelphia	25	84	1	5	.167	369	81	0	47	57	5	48	44	2	4.71
Errickson, Boston	38	166	6	13	.333	741	192	4	62	45	3	100	88	2	4.77
Adams, New York	38	71	4	1	.800	319	84	1	35	18	3	43	38	2	4.82
Thompson, Cincinnati	27	109	6	6	.500	509	117	3	57	46	2	65	59	2	4.87
Posedel, Boston	18	57	4	4	.500	253	61	0	30	10	2	36	31	2	4.89
McGee, 4 St. L.-22 N. Y.	26	121	2	10	.167	546	134	1	67	43	1	77	66	2	4.91
Bruner, Philadelphia	13	29	0	3	.000	141	37	0	25	13	0	17	16	2	4.97
Hoerst, Philadelphia	37	106	3	10	.231	466	111	1	80	33	4	70	61	2	5.18
LaManna, Boston	35	73	5	4	.556	342	77	1	56	23	5	52	43	2	5.30
Root, Chicago	19	107	8	7	.533	484	133	0	37	46	1	68	64	2	5.38
Tamulis, 6 Phila.-12 Bklyn	18	34	0	1	.000	162	42	1	17	13	0	23	21	2	5.56
Wittig, New York	25	85	3	5	.375	400	111	1	45	47	5	57	53	2	5.61
Shoun, St. Louis	26	70	3	5	.375	320	98	0	20	34	0	48	44	2	5.66
Bowman, New York	29	80	6	7	.462	372	100	1	36	25	2	55	51	2	5.74
Sitrncevich, 3 Bos.-12 Pitts.	15	34	1	2	.333	167	42	2	10	13	2	28	22	2	5.82

Balks—Lanier, Casey, French, 2 each; M. Brown, Kimball, Crouch, Lohrman, Hamlin, Wilkie, Bruner Wittig, 1 each. Ties—A. Johnson, Wicker, Carpenter, Casey, 2 each; Fitzsimmons, Lanier, Melton, Gumbert, Lanning, Hutchings, Javery, Page, Wilkie, Podrajny, Errickson, Adams, LaManna, Wittig, Shoun, 1 each.

PITCHERS WITH 10 OR MORE COMPLETE GAMES, RANKED ACCORDING TO COMPLETE GAME VICTORIES AND DEFEATS.

	G	CG.	W.	L.	Tie.	Pct.		G.	CG.	W.	L.	Tie.	Pct.
Warneke, St. Louis	37	12	11	1	..	.917	Cooper, St. Louis	29	12	9	3	..	.750
Davis, Brooklyn	28	10	9	1	..	.900	Hubbell, New York	26	11	8	3	..	.727
Olsen, Chicago	37	10	9	1	..	.900	Walters, Cincinnati	37	27	19	8	..	.704
Higbe, Brooklyn	48	19	17	2	..	.895	Heintzelman, Phila	35	13	9	4	..	.692
Wyatt, Brooklyn	38	23	20	3	..	.870	Derringer, Cincinnati	29	17	11	6	..	.647
Riddle, Cincinnati	33	15	13	2	..	.867	Sewell, Pittsburgh	39	18	11	7	..	.611
Butcher, Pittsburgh	33	19	15	3	1	.833	Passeau, Chicago	34	20	12	8	..	.600
VanderMeer, Cincin	33	18	15	3	..	.833	Lee, Chicago	28	19	7	5	..	.583
White, St. Louis	32	12	10	2	..	.833	Tobin, Boston	33	20	11	9	..	.550
Schumacher, N. Y.	30	12	10	2	..	.833	Salvo, Boston	35	11	6	5	..	.545

RIDDLE LEADING PITCHER IN N. L.; BEST IN 8 YEARS

Reds' Youngster Yields 2.24 Runs Per Game.

BY IRVING VAUGHAN.

Quietly, but impressively, Elmer Riddle of the Cincinnati Reds' staff worked his way to top flight ranking among National league pitchers last season.

The young man who rode around with the Reds during 1940, but didn't do anything much more than sightseeing, slipped past the pitching field in 1941 to wind up with an earned run average of 2.24 per nine innings, the choicest figure turned in since Carl [Lefty] Hubbell's 1.66 way back in 1933. The mark for right handers is 1.22, established by Grover Alexander in 1915.

The official pitching figures, revealed yesterday, also showed that while engaged in his five month defense against enemy batters the 24 year old Georgian compiled 19 victories to four beatings, a consistency that made him the leader on a percentage as well as a run basis. Altogether he surrendered 68 runs, earned and unearned, the skimpiest total of all those who worked in excess of 200 innings.

Gets Late Start.

What little Riddle did in 1940 was enough to furnish at least a hint that he was a budding possibility. He pitched only 34 innings that season, the work being represented by one complete rôle and 14 relief efforts. When the statisticians diagnosed his case they found he had an earned run average of 1.85. Despite this indication of effectiveness, Manager Bill McKechnie didn't give the youngster any 1941 attention until late in May.

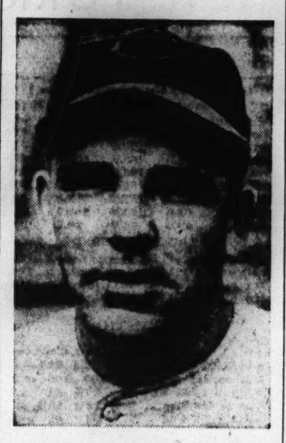
Once Riddle was summoned into action he proved he was ready to click. He won his first start and kept on winning until he had put together eleven victories in a row, the longest streak recorded in the league last season. He finally was stopped July 23 by the Dodgers. His 217 innings of mound toil represent 22 starts and 11 relief jobs. Four of his successes were accomplished over the shutout route. Another thing he did was to keep the league pitching championship in Cincinnati. Bucky Walters had taken care of it the two previous seasons.

Hitting Is Lacking.

The records of the Cincinnati staff as a whole show that the Reds' lowly finish was solely a matter of not hitting. Only six men finished lower than a 3 run per game allowances and half of them were Rhinelanders, namely Johnny van der Meer, Riddle and Walters. Two of Brooklyn's Dodgers, Whitlow Wyatt and Curt Davis, crowded into this class, Wyatt finishing close to Riddle in earned runs. The other in this group was Ernie White, the Cardinals' sensational rookie.

The earned run table eliminated all doubt as to the class of the Cubs' pitching during the year. Vern [Lefty] Olsen is shown with a 3.15 rating, Claude Passeau with 3.35 and Bill Lee with 3.77. They were the only Cubs who were in at least ten complete games. However, an ex-Cub, if that is any consolation, turned in the only no hitter. It was Lon Warneke of the Cards.

Best in 8 Years



Elmer Riddle, Cincinnati Reds' 24 year old pitcher, whose yield of 2.24 runs per game last season not only led the National league in effectiveness, but was the best accomplished in the circuit since 1933.

CHICAGO TABLE TENNIS SQUAD ENDS PRACTICE

All members of Chicago's table tennis team which will participate in the eleventh annual national intercity tournament to be held in the Sherman hotel on Saturday and Sunday, engaged in final practice at the Northtown Table Tennis club last night.

The Chicago team, which according to the officials, has a fine chance to upset the veteran New York outfit, winner of the title for eight straight years, has been under the daily guidance of Edward E. Kuhns, president of the Illinois Table Tennis association and nonplaying captain of this year's team.

Carfagnini Turns Pro; to Ride in 6 Day Race

Ed Carfagnini, national amateur cycling champion in 1939 and 1940, turned professional yesterday to ride in the Milwaukee six day bike race, Jan. 2 and will also compete in the six day race in the Coliseum next month. He will be paired with Charley Yaccino of Chicago in the Milwaukee grind.

PICK SAVOY RING TEAM FOR BATTLE WITH MADISON AC

Friday's Card Is Rated One of League's Best.

BY FRANK MASTRO.

The makeup of the Savoy Athletic club team, which will oppose Madison A. C. representatives in a Chicagoland Amateur Boxing league match in the Madison arena Friday, was announced last night by Eddie Plicque, coach of the south siders. The boys follow:

Jesse Walker, William Jordan, and Howard Jackson, welterweights; James Williams, middleweight; Al Walker and Charles Rogers, lightweights; Roual Tyler, featherweight, and Robert Jones, batamweight.

Alexander Baim, manager of the Madison club team previously had named his fighters. Jesse Walker will be paired with Pat Maloney, Jordan with Jimmy Baratta, Jackson with Lenny Marino, Williams with Matt Globotnick, Al Wallser with Vince Pellegrini, Rogers with Lou Leonetti, Tyler with Matt Wolton, and Jones with Johnny Mezzano.

Parkes Approves Card.

Edwin Parkes, secretary of the and the Central AAU, has approved the pairings. At a recent meeting of the league committee Parkes was given the job of attempting to eliminate apparent mismatches by classifying boxers before they enter the ring.

It was claimed some coaches sought to score by pitting an open or intermediate boxer against a novice, or inexperienced, opponent. This charge was denied by those involved, but in order to put an end to any further disputes which may arise Parkes was asked to serve as arbitrator.

Card Well Balanced.

Secretary Parkes last night said the forthcoming program is one of the most evenly balanced arranged since the league competition was started two months ago. In four earlier appearances Savoy boxers have registered two victories and one draw and suffered one setback to gain third place in the league standings.

Six Madison club color bearers appearing on the impending card are responsible for 12 of these points. They are Baratta, who scored four; Leonetti, Mezzano, and Maloney, each with two, and Slobotnick and Pellegrini, with one apiece.

Cardinal Stockholders Get Another $5 Dividend

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 23 (AP).—In time for Christmas, a second dividend of $5 a share to stockholders of the St. Louis Cardinals was announced today. The first $5 payment was made shortly after the close of the baseball season.

Madison A. C. Battler

Jim Baratta, one of the stalwarts of the Madison A. C. team in the Chicago Amateur Boxing league, who will meet William Jordan, Savoy A. C. welterweight, when the teams clash Friday night.

Williamson in Line for Job at Yale

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 23 (AP).—If Ivan B. [Ivy] Williamson, former Michigan end and an assistant here for eight years, wants to be Yale's next head football coach, reliable sources disclosed today, all he has to do is say so.

The youthful Williamson, who developed All-America Larry Kelley and several other crack wingmen here, was reported by observers close to the situation to have the inside track for the job vacated yesterday by Dr. Emerson [Spike] Nelson, head coach for one year.

May Not Want Job.

Whether he'll accept the post [and there were some who doubted he would want it] awaits a conference here after the holidays between Williamson and Athletic Director Ogden Miller. Both were out of town, Williamson in Bowling Green, O., and Miller in Chicago.

From a service standpoint, Williamson is a veteran at Yale, originally having been hired by Raymond W. [Ducky] Pond in 1934. He was an end on the Michigan eleven for three seasons, and captain in his senior year when the Wolverines won the Big Ten championship.

May Curtail Football.

The resignation of Nelson, whose Yale eleven won only one of eight games last fall, was interpreted in some quarters here as presaging sweeping changes to come in the Eli sports setup. Football was destined, according to the reports, to be the chief victim.

SEEK TO MATCH CASTIGLIONE AND SPOLDI ON JAN. 9

Tonight's Mat Show in Fronton Called Off.

Aldo Spoldi, lightweight fighter from Italy, yesterday was sought to meet Nick Castiglione of the west side in a 10 round bout in the Coliseum Jan. 9. Matchmaker John Strachan originally planned to have Bob Montgomery oppose Castiglione, but the Philadelphia boxer refused the invitation.

Joe Maxin, Cleveland heavyweight, is paired with Booker Beckwith in a 10 round windup contest on the card. Sam Buxbaum, veteran trainer, who has supervised the training program of both boys in previous fights, will prepare Booker for the assignment because the Gary boxer has prior rights to his services.

Lem Franklin, 1937 international Golden Gloves heavyweight winner, will not be available for a proposed encounter against Al [Turkey] Thompson in Los Angeles Jan. 16, for the Navy relief, Manager Jack Hurley said last night. Franklin, who is recovering from a hand injury suffered while stopping Abe Simon last Oct. 20, probably will make his start against an opponent to be selected in St. Louis late next month. He then is expected to encounter Bob Pastor in Cleveland in February. This latter match will draw a $42,000 gate, Larry Atkins, Cleveland matchmaker, has predicted.

A wrestling show scheduled in Rainbo Fronton tonight has been canceled because of the Christmas holiday, Promoter Fred Kohler said yesterday. . . . Sheldon Clark, chairman of the Illinois Athletic commission, has advised Chicago promoters and matchmakers that hereafter no boxer may be paid less than $25 for a fight. Clark issued the order after receiving reports that preliminary boys collect as little as $18 for their services.

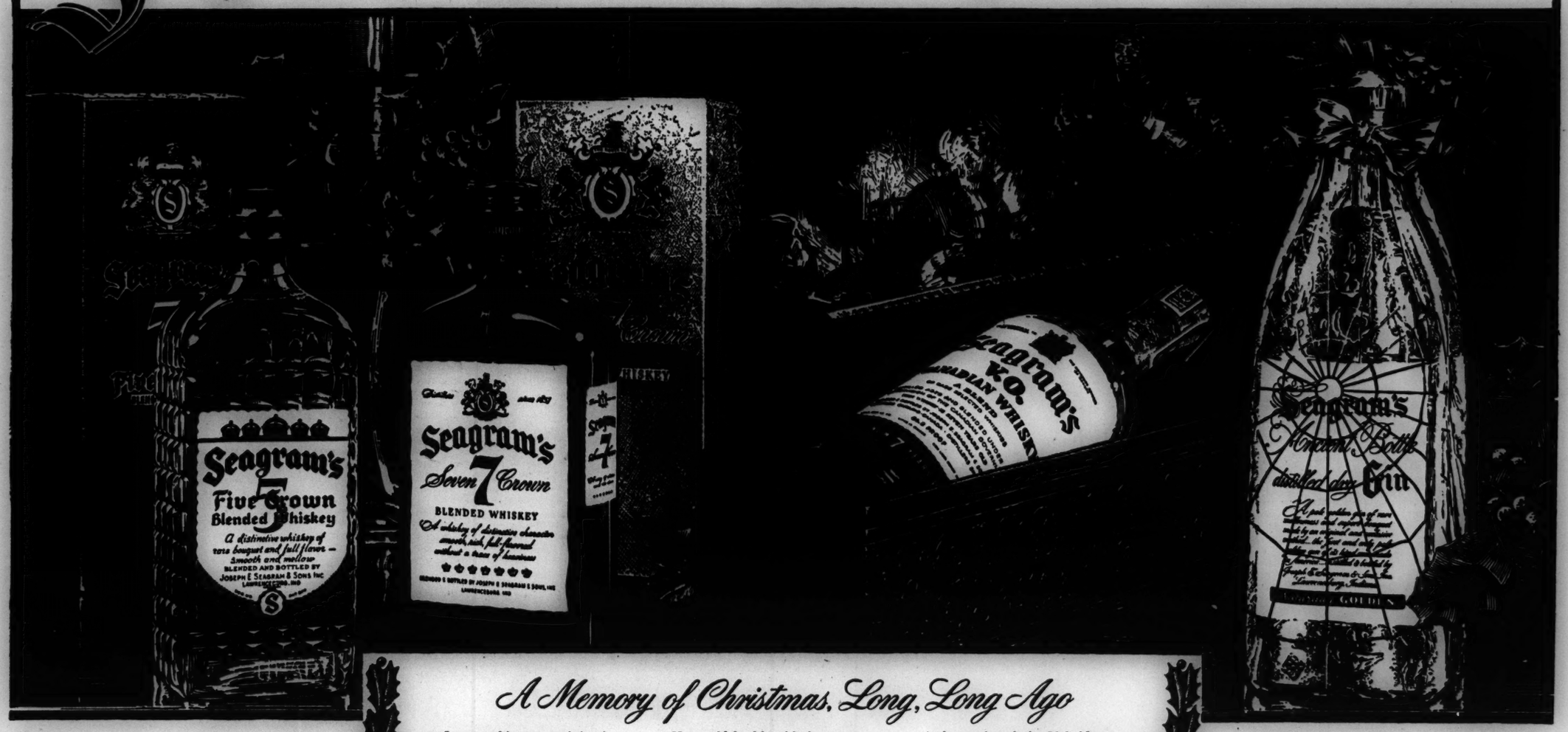
Cubs Release Hudson on Option to Milwaukee

The Cubs yesterday announced the release, on option, of Infielder Johnny Hudson to Charley Grimm's Milwaukee Brewers. Hudson came to the Cubs by way of Montreal last summer in the deal that sent Billy Herman to the Dodgers. Hudson was released to bring the roster down to the legal 40 players. The club had gone one over the limit the previous day when Pitcher William Fleming was acquired from the Boston Red Sox on waivers.

PLAN LEAGUE MEETING.

The Negro American Baseball league will hold its winter meeting in the Grand hotel, South Parkway and 51st street, Saturday and Sunday.

Seagram's .. GIFTS OF GOOD TASTE .. SINCE 1857



A Memory of Christmas, Long, Long Ago

I can see him now a-sitting in
the chair he loved so well,
As he opened up his presents, he
would grin, for he could tell
By the gurgling in the package that
our gift was no surprise
And he showed his hearty pleasure
by the twinkle in his eyes.

He would fumble with the wrapper
as he pulled the ribbon off
And he'd give a little chuckle and
a funny little cough,
"Well, for goodness sakes, it's Seagram's!"
and he'd hold the bottle up
As we gathered around the table
for a friendly wassail cup.

And even though that Yuletide scene
goes back so long ago,
It seems like only yesterday—and
surely I should know
For it happens *every* Christmas as
the years go rolling by,
We *still* give gifts of Seagram's, yes,
but Grandpa now is I.

SEAGRAM'S 5 CROWN

A delightfully mild-tasting whiskey... Seagram keeps the toughness out... blends extra pleasure in. Seagram's 5 Crown is ideal for a highball, Manhattan or Old Fashioned. Always a welcome gift, it is packaged in a cheerful Christmas box.

SEAGRAM'S 7 CROWN

Rich and full-flavored—without a trace of heaviness, this exquisite whiskey is delicious in a highball, a Christmas egg nog, punch or a Tom and Jerry. Here is Seagram's finest American whiskey—encased in a stunning Christmas gift box.

Seagram's 5 Crown Blended Whiskey. 72½% Grain Neutral Spirits. 86.8 Proof
Seagram's 7 Crown Blended Whiskey. 65% Grain Neutral Spirits. 86.8 Proof

SEAGRAM'S V.O. CANADIAN WHISKY

Here is imported whisky at its finest. 7 years old. The perfect highball whisky, delicate and fragrant. A magnificent Christmas gift—presented in a luxurious container which is cleverly designed to serve as a glove, jewelry, or cigarette box.

SEAGRAM'S ANCIENT BOTTLE GIN

A *Naturally* Golden Gin...only gin of its kind ever made in America. Smooth in a "Golden Martini"—or in tall gin drinks. The distinguished "ancient" bottle is presented in a glistening, transparent, specially designed holiday wrapping.

SEAGRAM-DISTILLERS CORPORATION, NEW YORK, N. Y.

Seagram's V.O. Canadian Whisky. A Blend of Selected Whiskies. 86.8 Proof
Seagram's Ancient Bottle Gin. Distilled from Grain. 90 Proof

ONLY THE FINEST IS FINE ENOUGH FOR Christmas

GILLESPIE HOPES LUCK WILL SHIFT IN ORANGE BOWL

Both of His Ailing Legs Now in Condition.

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 23 (AP).—The all-American hard luck guy will try to make up for three years of disappointment in one day. And those who know determined Kyle Gillespie say he can do it when at last he goes onto the gridiron with two sound legs.

Gillespie will play for Texas Christian against Georgia in the Orange bowl and if he is twice as good on two legs as he has been on one, he'll be sensational.

Kyle played five years on a trick knee and then when it had been made sound by an operation, the other one was broken in the fourth game of his final season. But the T. C. U. quarterback hasn't complained.

Had Many Handicaps.

"He has worked against physical handicaps all thru his career with us," said Coach Leo Meyer, "but has never let these things get him down, never done anything but work as hard as he knew how to get into shape. He is as fine a football player and as fine a man as I have ever had the privilege of coaching."

Gillespie had a bad knee when he came to T. C. U. from Paris Junior college. It bothered him thru his junior year. But Kyle on one leg was the equal of most of them on two.

In his three varsity seasons he played only 684 minutes out of a possible 1,800 yet was the key man in 473 offensive plays—180 carries, 180 passes, 113 punts.

Then More Trouble.

This season he apparently was on his way to the greatness every one knew would have been his with just a modicum of luck. He played 145 minutes against Tulsa, Arkansas and Indiana. After four minutes against Texas A. and M., Gillespie received a fractured bone just above the ankle. The rest of the season he got in only 56 minutes.

But today Kyle appears entirely sound physically. After this game, he says, he'll turn his attention to helping "take care of those Japs."

Twice Daily Drills Fare for Fordham

Bay St. Louis, Miss., Dec. 23 (AP).—Fordham's Rams eyed the scenery today, but Coach Jim Crowley eyed the scales and ordered strenuous drills to lop pounds from the visiting players before their date with Missouri in the Sugar bowl.

The players, who wore straw hats as a stunt when they left New York with the mercury around 20 degrees, found the headgear unexpectedly appropriate as they stepped off the train into summery weather with the temperature at 70.

Orders Strenuous Drills.

Coach Crowley was more concerned over the football game than the southern atmosphere and ordered two-a-day practices to begin tomorrow.

"We'll have plenty of work," he said, "and will get in a couple of hard scrimmages. We're a bit overweight because of a layoff after the regular season and cold weather recently in New York that kept down our practice sessions."

The team will work out on the St. Stanislaus school field.

He Respects Missouri.

Of his New Year's day opponents, the Missouri Tigers, who are training at Edgewater Park, some 25 miles eastward, Crowley said:

"Everybody who has seen them says they're a great team. I've talked to a couple of coaches who say Missouri was the best team they met—and they played tough schedules."

Fordham is the last of the four teams training in this area for post-season games in New Orleans. The eastern All-Stars are at Biloxi, Miss., and the westerners who will face them Jan. 3 in the Shriners' benefit game are at Baton Rouge, La.

Bruins to Battle Fast Fort Wayne Team Tomorrow

The Fort Wayne Zollner Pistons will play the Chicago Bruins in a National Basketball league game tomorrow night in the Coliseum. In the opener, starting at 7:45 p. m., the Burton-Dixie and Club 25 of Gary teams will meet in a Windy City league engagement.

The Fort Wayne team's most dangerous scorers are Herman Schaefer, Bobby McDermott, and Elmer Gainer, the latter from De Paul university. McDermott's collegiate career was spent at St. John's U. in Brooklyn while Schaefer, along with Curly Armstrong, was an Indiana university player.

Caryle Towery, outstanding player in the NCAA tournament in 1940 while a member of Western Kentucky Teachers' quintet, and Don Beery and Jack Keller, former Fort Wayne High school athletes, are other lads expected to make things hard for the Bruins tomorrow evening.

Center Mike Novak of the Chicago team is figured to play at least a half and possibly three-quarters of the game. The 6 foot 9 inch giant has been troubled with bad feet but seems to be in much better shape than at Indianapolis last Sunday.

The lineups:

CHICAGO.		FORT WAYNE.
Kaslo	F	Gainer
Vaughn	F	Armstrong
Novak	C	Towery
Sachs	G	Schaefer
Evans	G	Bilgeman

Batting for Santa

Joe DiMaggio, who usually is seen in a New York Yankee uniform, donned this suit yesterday as a prelude to the first Christmas for his son, Joe DiMaggio III., just over a month old.

Owen Fumble Called Oddest Play of Year

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—To Brooklyn fans it was the tragedy of a lifetime, but to the nation at large Mickey Owens' fumble of a third strike in the fourth game of the world series was just the sports freak of the year.

Critics participating in the Associated Press poll overwhelmingly voted that incident, which permitted the Yankees to continue, and win the game and take a 3 to 1 edge in the series, as the most unusual happening in a year which produced its full share of astonishing incidents.

A Twelfth Man.

There was the case of the Mississippi State football team's 12th man, for instance. He was Bobby Yandell of State's arch rival, Mississippi. Yandell's teammate, Ray Poole, was in the clear and apparently headed for a touchdown when Yandell tackled him by mistake, and Mississippi State won the game, 6 to 0.

And there was the incident voted tops by Roland Hughes of the Roanoke, Va., World News. In a Virginia state league game the umpire ousted Guy Lacy, the Lynchburg manager, from the game. The Lynchburg players refused to continue, so League President Ray Ryan stepped from the stands, banished the umpire, and reinstated the manager.

86 Participate in Poll.

The Owen incident was not the only world series happening mentioned in the poll, in which 86 experts took part. When Freddy Fitzsimmons was forced from the game when a batted ball struck him on the knee it was considered worthy of listing among the odd happenings.

The Ohio State-Northwestern fifth-down controversy, Minnesota's quick lineup play used to beat Northwestern, Syracuse's reversed center, and the fact 28 Portsmouth, O., Catholic High school players were overcome by gas between halves of a game were among other football incidents deemed worthy of note.

Illinois Ice Officials Talk Over Rules

Good sportsmanship on the part of the skaters in the Illinois Skating association events this season will pay dividends, Herbert J. Knudten, president of the group, told officials last night. The judges, referees, and patrol judges met for a pre-season discussion of the rules and to make plans for the CYO Derby scheduled for Sunday.

The ice racing body is distributing a simplified set of rules for the skaters to follow during the 1941-'42 season. Knudten's reminder to the skating chiefs was to the effect that whenever a decision comes up in the case of a disqualification, due consideration must be given the boy or girl whose past record shows good sportsmanship.

While the plans for the Catholic Youth Organization's Derby Sunday calls for the races to be held in Garfield park, weather conditions make it necessary to pick another site which would freeze quickly in the event the week-end temperatures sink below 32 degrees. At a meeting today CYO Athletic Director Jack Elder and Manager Pete Miller will pick the park where the Derby may be held if weather permits.

Meanwhile, the challenge by Gov. Harold Stassen of Minnesota for an inter-state meet is furnishing ample reason for creating interest among the skaters. Gov. Dwight H. Green in accepting the challenge will send about 50 local stars to Minneapolis, Jan. 10 and 11.

HARVARD SENIORS WIN, 37-36, OVER SOUTH SHORE

A basket in the closing seconds of play by Bob Schmidt gave the Harvard seniors a 37 to 36 victory over South Shore in a practice game yesterday on the Harvard floor. Harvard led, 24 to 8, at the half. Its attack was paced by Charles Schobinger and Bud Lewis, each making 10 points.

HARVARD [37].	B	F	P
Schmidt,f	3	2	3
Lewis,c	3	4	3
Clark,g	0	1	0
Lane,g	2	2	3
Peterson,g	1	0	1
Schobinger,f	5	0	1

SOUTH SHORE [36].	B	F	P
Rodeck,f	2	0	1
Deitelbaum,e	4	0	4
Carr,g	1	0	0
Whitmore,g	3	1	2
Horvatic,g	1	0	1
Nowakowski,g	1	1	2
Schofield,f	2	0	1
Schero,f	2	1	0
Schnackenbr,f	0	1	2

BOWLERS TO MEET.

A meeting of all officers and directors of the Royal League National Bowling association will be held at 2:30 p. m. Jan. 4, in the conference room, 309 W. Jackson boulevard.

SOLDIERS TO GET CUT RATES AT BOWLING ALLEYS

Operators to Set Aside Time for Army Men.

BY C. H. BEUKEMA.

Barney Hochstadter, chairman of the bowling and billiards division of the Chicago commission on national defense, yesterday was named chairman also of the bowling and billiards section of the amusement and recreation division for the Red Cross drive which is to open Monday. Hochstadter, former president of the Bowling Proprietors Association of Greater Chicago, recently served as a member of the All-Star tournament committee.

Barney Hochstadter.

As a member of the commission on national defense, Hochstadter is arranging with Chicago area bowling and billiard operators to set aside definite periods during which service men in uniform may bowl or play billiards in their establishments at greatly reduced rates. Operators who have not yet communicated with him may provide him with schedules by calling Virginia 9735.

Aid Good Fellows.

The Chicago Tribune Good Fellows' fund will be increased today when $32 collected at the Schamberger Schlitz-Chapin & Gore match at North Town recreation Sunday night is turned over to the fund. The two North End Traveling league teams turned in one of the season's best exhibitions which the Schambergers won, 3,112 pins to 3,096.

Schamberger Schlitz.	1,075	968	1,089—3,112
Chapin & Gore	1,064	1,063	969—3,096

Seller Scores 672.

Otto Seiler turned in high score, 672, in the Faetz & Son recreation major league last week. Other honor scores:

Clare Jochum, 647; Stewart Watson, 642; Emil Johnson, 632; Tom Bushold, 623; Lawrence Cody, 613; Ray Stewart, 613; Harry Ledene Sr., 610.

Scores in women's major leagues:

QUEEN Friday League—Betty Girtsell, 221-564; Ann Pegnati, 201-551; Charlotte Caswell, 208-542; Eulalia Reardon, 528; Ella Thompson, 225; Nina Gismondi, 221; Bernice Claussen, 201; Eleanor Bergen, 200.

BRUCK'S League—Sara Hannblom, 526; Bee Hochstadter, 566; Eleanor Bergen, 528; Nettie Kolb, 552.

Last night's scores in Gold Coast Major league:

Last Jr. Williams	911	963	943—2,817
Gold Coast Rec	940	956	961—2,857
Ballantine Restaur	986	968	933—2,887
Louis Glunz Ltd	965	980	885—2,830
Budweisers	902	906	877—2,685
Jos. L. Gills	923	1008	1015—2,946
Rudy Rabetier, 255, 668.			
De Luxe Rec	941	924	877—2,742
Pogue's Old Times	1027	917	1015—2,959
Joe Peters, 256.			
Detloff Florals	849	880	936—2,665
Int'l Sports Show	941	971	966—2,878
Acme Furnace	1039	818	1043—2,900
Triangle Shirts	963	848	1016—2,827

Scores of last night's matches in Stevenson Major league:

American Tapin	886	819	1013—2,718
Swan Lorish	936	944	883—2,763
Tungsten Spark Plug	881	1009	969—2,900
McCafferty Decor	889	898	987—2,844
Pure Milk Assn	1009	1035	1018—3,062
Nelson Painters	818	928	871—2,620
Danne Insurance	956	927	981—2,864
Pepsi-Cola	949	1006	1078—3,033
Chatham Pool	941	933	924—2,798
Jos. L. Gills	941	893	1142—2,946
Gordon Clothing	980	1032	1110—3,122
McKay & Poague	874	1033	1047—2,954
De Young Fuel	989	943	1038—2,970
Krause Hardware	950	950	947—2,847
Al Greenan, 267—631; Perry Moore, 636; Jack Huback, 631; Steve Anzak, 222, 265, 236—723; Joe Kulik, 268—630; Roy Hoage, 270—630; Ralph Edwards, 640; Jack Ludwig, 635; Laurie Fritz, 635; Jake Lenzen, 675; Lee Hite, 641; Jack Rusnak, 630; Paul Krumske, 240—624.			

FINAL REHEARSAL OF HENIE REVUE CARDED TODAY

Sonja Henie and members of her Hollywood Ice Revue will hold final rehearsal today for their opening performance tomorrow night in the Stadium. Ten performances of the show will be given. None is scheduled for New Year's night because of the hockey game between the Blackhawks and the Detroit Red Wings.

Sonja will skate with a new partner in the 1942 edition of her revue. He is Gene Turner, who won the national men's senior figure skating title last year. Turner will appear with Miss Henie in three numbers and also will perform a solo. One of their pair numbers expected to create enthusiasm is "Sonja's Tango" performed to music written especially for this show by Jack Pfeiffer, musical director of the revue.

Mother Silent on British Net Star's Arrest

BY LARRY RUE.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Mrs. Egerton Scott, mother of the British woman tennis star, Valerie Scott, 23 years old, who was ordered held in a Miami, Fla., jail Dec. 20 on a charge of vagrancy, today refused to discuss the arrest of her daughter in the United States.

[Miss Scott's arrest is said to have been brought about by attorneys for Frances Lynch of Baltimore and Miami Beach. Miss Lynch and Miss Scott are said to have had business connections involving the gift of an automobile, and a $10,000 investment at the instigation of the English girl.]

"Valerie has got herself into hot water, and that is that," Mrs. Scott said over a telephone from her home in Miltonsea, Hampshire, today.

Valerie, who came to America before the war as a member of the Wightman cup team, refused to take the advice of officials and return to England.

"All members of the Wightman cup team had an opportunity of coming back to England as soon as the war started," an official of the London Tennis association said today. "Of course, our financial obligations toward her have ceased, since she decided not to come back. We have heard nothing from her since."

NEW YORK BOND TRANSACTIONS

BOND AVERAGES

[Compiled by the Associated Press.]

	20 rails.	10 indus.	10 util.	30 fgn.
Net change..	—0.5	.....	—0.1	+0.3
Tuesday	58.6	103.4	99.8	42.0
Previous day	58.9	103.4	99.7	41.7
Month ago..	62.6	105.0	102.1	46.6
Year ago	60.0	105.2	99.7	37.1
1941 high	66.5	105.4	102.2	51.4
1941 low	58.3	103.2	98.9	38.0
1940 high	61.4	105.9	100.7	53.5
1940 low	48.3	98.9	90.3	35.1

10 USE YIELD BONDS.

Tuesday	112.6	Previous day	112.7
Month ago	114.9	Year ago	114.4
1941 high	115.1	1941 low	112.2
1940 high	114.6	1940 low	108.4

DOMESTIC.

Sales, thous.		High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
4	†AbitiPP 5s'53st	52⅞	52½	52½—	⅛
2	AdamsExp 4s'47	100	100	100	— 2
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63	do 5s '49 Mod	69½	68½	69½	....
1	do 5s '50 Mod	61	61	61	— 1
7	AlliedStr 4½s'51	103⅝	103½	103½+	⅛
43	Am&ForP 5s'2030	59¾	59¼	59½—	¼
1	AmIGChe 5½s'49	103¼	103½	103½+	⅝
13	Am Int 5½s '49	98¾	98	98 —	½
8	Am T&T 3¾s'66	107	106¾	106¾—	1⅛
3	do 3¾s '81	107¼	107⅛	107⅛	....
94	do 3s '56	107⅝	107⅜	107⅜—	⅜
1	AmWW-E 6s'75	107	107	107 +	⅛
1	†AnaCNit deb'67	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛+	⅛
1	AnnArbor 4s'95	64	64	64 —	1¾
13	Arm Del 4s '55	103⅜	103⅜	103⅜—	⅛
11	A T&S F 4s'95	108	107⅞	108 +	⅜
2	do aj 4s '95 st	87	86⅞	86⅞—	⅛
2	do 4s '05-'55	101½	101½	101½	....
5	†AtlABirm 4s'33	13⅜	13⅜	13⅜—	⅜
14	AC Line 1st4s'52	76⅛	76	76⅛—	¼
11	do clt 4s '52	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞+	⅛
8	do 4½s '64	58½	58	58 —	1
1	do 5s '45	95½	95½	95½—	⅛
6	AtlADan 1st4s'48	32	31⅞	32 —	⅜
21	B&O1st mtg'48st	58⅜	57⅜	57⅜—	⅜
47	do '95 st A	29½	28⅞	29 —	⅛
15	do '95 st C	33	32¼	33	....
33	do 2000 st D	28⅝	28½	28⅝	....
23	do '96 st F	29¼	28⅝	28⅞—	⅛
75	Ido cv '60 st	31⅜	31⅜	31⅜	....
23	do 4s '48	55	54⅝	54⅝—	⅜
41	do PLEWV4s'51st	45½	44½	44⅝—	1⅛
30	do S W '50 st	39½	38½	38½—	⅛
8	do 4s '59	43¾	43½	43½—	⅜
5	Bang&A cv4s'51st	47¾	47¾	47¾—	⅜
5	do 5s '43	95½	95½	95½+	1
2	Bell TPa 5s'48	107⅛	107⅛	107⅜	....
2	do 5s '60 C	131⅛	131⅛	131⅛	....
9	BeneflnL 2¼s'50	99	99	99	....
9	BethSti 3½s'52	104⅛	104⅛	104⅜—	⅛
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SEEK TO ABOLISH U. S.-CANADIAN TARIFF BARRIERS

Board Would Lift All Bars During War.

BY WILLIAM STRAND.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23.—The Canadian-United States joint war production committee today called for the pooling of all productive resources of the two countries and the removal of tariffs and other legislative or administrative barriers hampering their combined war effort.

In a seven point program made public by President Roosevelt the committee urged that import duties "and other regulations or restrictions" be suspended or otherwise eliminated for the war's duration.

Emphasis should be on speed and volume of war output rather than on monetary costs, said the comittee, and the production of both nations must be joined in achieving the common objective. The committee also recommended the dividing of scarce materials as a further aid to increased production.

"This declaration has met the approval of the Canadian war cabinet," President Roosevelt said in making public the program. "It has my full approval."

Must Counter Hitler.

The President noted that Hitler, "thru brute force and enslavement," has obtained "a measure of integration and coördination of the productive resources of a large part of Europe," and declared:

"We must demonstrate that integration and coördination of the productive resources of the continent of America is possible thru democratic processes and free consent."

Following are the recommendations of the committee:

1. Speed and volume of war output, not monetary cost, must be the primary objectives.
2. There must be maximum use of each nation's labor, raw materials, and facilities.
3. Production of both nations must be integrated and directed toward a common program.
4. They must so dovetail production that there will be maximum joint output of war goods in minimum time.
5. They must divide scarce materials in such a way as to achieve maximum output of most necessary articles quickly.
6. Legislative and administrative barriers should be wiped out.
7. Both governments should take all measures necessary to carry out the declaration.

First Moves Ordered.

The President announced that he has requested departments and bureaus of this government to abide by the "letter and spirit" of the program, and that an inquiry has been started to determine legislative changes necessary to put it into effect.

The agreement of the two committees forming the joint committee was hailed here as another step forward in the collaboration between the United States and Canada.

Besides the joint war production committee there is a joint defense board considering problems of hemispheric security.

The war production group was formed last November following meetings between the President and Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King. Before that the United States and Canada had agreed generally to provide one another with the defense needs which each is better able to produce.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL NOVEMBER NET INCOME LOWER

The Illinois Central railroad earned $559,840 in November compared with $788,578 in the same 1940 month, company officials reported yesterday. November net income figures include provision for increased wages retroactive to Sept. 1, the company stated.

The road had a net income of $8,866,281 in the first 11 months of the year against a loss of $97,244 in the 1940 period.

The Southern railroad's earnings for 1941 were estimated at $17,734,875, compared with an actual net income of $7,352,072 ir 1940, by Ernest E. Norris, president. Norris said the company's 1941 tax bill would be about nine million dollars above the 1940 total.

Railroad earnings reports follow:

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Reading	1,012,873	1,274,061
Southern Pacific	2,244,776	4,356,099
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Reading	14,915,347	11,893,314
Southern Pacific	54,708,302	28,057,846

*Net loss.

Mellinger Renominated as Trade Group President

A. H. Mellinger, president of the Illinois Bell Telephone company, has been nominated to succeed himself as president of the Chicago Association of Commerce, the association's nominating committee announced yesterday. Mellinger became president of the association last January. The election will be held Jan. 14. Oscar G. Mayer, meat packer, heads the nominating committee.

Grain Marts Close Early Today to Lengthen Holiday

The nation's grain exchanges will close early today and along with all security and commodity markets will be closed for Christmas. Trading in cotton and wool top futures in New York and on all grain exchanges will end at noon. Security markets will close at the usual time. The naval stores market at Savannah, Ga., will be closed until Monday.

Propose Tax Plans to End Arming Delay

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—An excess profits tax to recapture all corporate profits above the 1941 level was suggested today by Walter Wheeler, deputy director of the Office of Production Management contract division, as an "essential method" for eliminating delays in spreading war production work.

He joined Under Secretary of War Robert Patterson in opposing, before a congressional committee, creation of a civilian supply board with full responsibility for handling, planning, and procurement of matériel for the fighting forces.

Wheeler said delay in conversion of plant facilities for munitions work had come from the difficulties in figuring costs, and contended that fear of financial loss on the part of small concerns, as well as the desire of a few manufacturers for "unreasonable" profits, had slowed down subcontracting.

Submits Production Estimate.

He submitted figures to show that, by a 50 per cent curtailment of the civilian output of 15 major industries on the basis of 1939, the nation could convert their plant facilities and produce 3 billion 910 million dollars worth of munitions.

The war department, in opposing the civilian supply board proposal, contended that the program now being followed would put all the nation's resources into turning out military material.

Patterson declared that the war department was not satisfied with production to date, expressed hope that it never would be satisfied, but maintained that taking procurement power away from the armed forces and placing it with a new board would "not be a step forward." Production, he said, now has reached the stage where war materials turned out by mass production are "already on the firing line."

CIO Submits Program.

A five point program submitted to the committee by the CIO included: [1] Creation of a national industry council representing labor, government, and management; [2] conferences between the auto workers union and the Supply Priorities and Allocations board to lay groundwork for full conversion of the automobile industry to military production; [3] OPM action to transfer and train displaced auto workers at government expense; [4] federal appropriations to supplement unemployment payments, and [5] price controls "without freezing of wage rates."

The auto workers also maintained that the industry should provide a "layoff bonus" for displaced workers and asked for a seven day work week without sacrifice of established union conditions."

OHIO LIFTS BAN ON LONG HOURS FOR ITS WOMEN

Columbus, O., Dec. 23 (AP).—Ohio authorized today the lifting of work hour limits for women of 48 hours a week in offices and 45 in factories to permit seven day production schedules for companies with war orders.

Works 7 Day Week.

New York, Dec. 23 [Special].—Johns-Manville corporation has been operating on a 24 hour day, seven day week at most of its factories for several months, President Lewis H. Brown told stockholders today.

People and Events

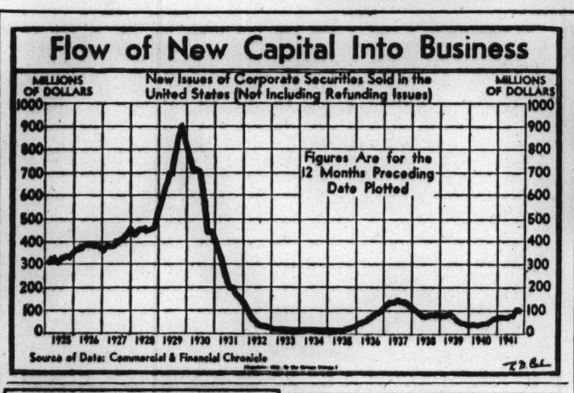
Stuart M. Campbell, Chicago, has been appointed controler of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass company. Formerly with Arthur Anderson & Co., accounting and auditing firm, he succeeds M. C. Spahr, who is retiring after more than 50 years with the company.

Stuart M. Campbell.

James H. Brennan, general agent for the Fidelity Mutual Life Insurance company, has been elected president of the Life Agency Managers of Chicago, formerly the General Agents' and Managers' division of the Chicago Association of Life Underwriters.

Charles Howard Anderson, tax agent of the Santa Fe railway at Chicago, has been named to succeed George G. Tunell as commissioner of taxes and manager of insurance for the road. Tunell is retiring after 36 years with the company.

Flow of New Capital Into Business


New Issues of Corporate Securities Sold in the United States (Not Including Refunding Issues)
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Figures Are for the 12 Months Preceding Date Plotted
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Source of Data: Commercial & Financial Chronicle

REPORT ON INDIVIDUAL HOLDINGS OF FEDERAL SECURITIES REQUIRED

Holders of government securities will be required to fill out ownership certificates at their banks after the turn of the year, according to instructions relayed to the banks yesterday by the Federal Reserve board at the request of the internal revenue department.

The certificates are required for all federal obligations, regardless of the date of issue. Interest payments made on issues dated March 1, 1941, or later are subject to federal income taxes under terms of the new revenue bill.

The new regulations, which apply to individuals and fiduciaries, extend to federal obligations the requirements which have applied to corporation securities in the past. The purpose of the certificates is to uncover sources of federal taxes. Separate forms are provided for foreigners for information on taxes withheld at the source and paid directly to the government.

Force Plants to Make Vital Civilian Goods

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—The Office of Production Management acted today to compel manufacturers to fill orders for essential civilian goods. The move, another major step toward complete government allocation of scarce materials, will force producers to put all orders bearing any sort of priority rating ahead of unrated business.

Priorities regulation No. 1, which today's order amended, originally compelled manufacturers to accept orders with defense preference "A" ratings, but did not force them to accept essential civilian orders which carry "B" ratings. Under the old regulations the manufacturers could put unrated orders ahead of the "B" group.

Reviews All Price Ceilings.

In the meantime, Leon Henderson, price administrator, disclosed that the Office of Price Administration has begun a review of all formal price ceilings to bring them into conformity with provisions of the price control bill expected to be passed by congress in about two weeks.

Henderson said present ceilings on farm commodities would be studied in the light of pending legislation which would require that no maximum on such commodities be set below the market price on last Oct. 1.

"It is believed that no upward adjustments will be required in those cases where ceilings have been established or agreements reached on nonagricultural commodities," he observed. "These schedules and agreements are generally in accord with the standards established by the pending legislation."

Delay Ban on Tinfoil.

An order which would have prohibited the manufacture of lead and tinfoil after Jan. 15, and its use after March 15, has been held up, the OPM priorities division said, pending issuance of a new and more drastic limitation order on the uses of tin.

The priorities division issued a preference rating making materials available for construction of privately financed dwellings for which foundations were in place on Oct. 9. An A-10 preference rating will be made available for materials to complete homes and apartment buildings under construction which cannot qualify for assistance under the defense housing plan.

A plan for the allocation of wood pulp, based on the need for the expanded use of the nitrating types in the production of ammunition, is being drawn up by OPM.

Radio Maker to Quit Yearly Model Change

Galvin Manufacturing corporation, Chicago radiomaker, disclosed yesterday that it has "frozen" all its civilian radio models to present designs to facilitate armament production work.

Paul Galvin. [Moffett Photo.]

The company also divulged plans to build an engineering building which, when completed next spring, will be devoted entirely to defense work. Galvin's engineers have shifted their activities rapidly to arms work and are approaching a point where they are engaged nearly 100 per cent in that field.

The new engineering building will cost about $100,000, Paul Galvin, president of the company and of the Radio Manufacturers association, said. It will be built on land which is owned by the company and which is adjacent to the present plant at 4545 West Augusta boulevard. It will contain about 32,000 square feet of floor space.

Others Turn to Arms.

Galvin described his company's increasing emphasis on military production as typical of "the general evolution that is taking place in the radio industry."

On Monday E. F. McDonald Jr., president of Zenith Radio corporation, had reported that, because of rapidly expanding war work, his company will be unable to meet the rising demand for its regular line products.

Yesterday two other companies reported that the pressure of arms contracts is causing them to make wide readjustments.

Works on "Walkie-Talkie."

Majestic Radio and Television corporation, Chicago, said it will reduce civilian radio output and step up production of an army set known as the "walkie-talkie."

However, E. A. Tracey, chairman and general manager, said he doubted that the public and the industry will notice the effect of civilian curtailment until "well into the second quarter of 1942." The industry will be taxed to the utmost to meet army and navy requirements, Tracey said.

He said that when the war began, the army signal corps ordered Majestic to go on a 24 hour day, 7 day week basis in production of the walkie-talkies. These are battery operated combination transmitters and receivers used in battle to maintain communication.

Eliminates Use of Wires.

The walkie-talkie eliminates use of field telephones and the necessity of stringing telephone wire under enemy fire, Tracey said.

Meantime, R A Manufacturing company reported in Philadelphia that military and commercial demand for many of its radio tube and test equipment products is far in excess of its production capacity.

Acting to solve the problem, the company has offered technical assistance to other tube makers so they can manufacture RCA products and also has arranged to pass part of the work on to subcontractors, an official said.

PREDICTS PRICE REVISION WILL AID SCRAP FLOW

Iron and steel scrap dealers in Chicago and Pittsburgh said yesterday that they expect at least a moderate increase in the flow of scrap to market as a result of the government's action Monday in revising price schedules permitting dealers to pay more for certain lower grades.

"The modification of the schedules, providing a slight price increase on the secondary grades, will be helpful and should move a larger tonnage of material than has been handled in the last few months," an official of one Chicago scrap company said.

Another dealer said that the government's action "will do some good," but he declared that the basic problem is a dearth of scrap regardless of price.

The price revision order segregated various grades of scrap according to use and set a price ceiling for each type.

Chicago Banks Planning No Cut in Business Day

Chicago banks would not necessarily change their banking hours if the New York banks adopted earlier hours as a defense measure, Chicago Clearing House association officials said yesterday. The question has not been discussed officially by the Chicago organization. Proper correlation of mails between Chicago and New York is a more important factor than identical hours, it was said. If earlier hours are adopted in New York, it would be to eliminate the necessity of blacking out windows.

U. S. AGENCIES ACT TO CONTROL OIL INDUSTRY

Fix Rates of Output, Curb Materials.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 [Special].—The government moved in two directions today toward control of the nation's oil industry.

The Office of Production Management priorities division placed the use of materials for development of new oil and natural gas wells under strict control. At the same time, Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes established a system of production rates for oil producing states which he said was designed to meet "the mounting war demands for petroleum with better balanced production."

Violators Criminally Liable.

The production control system will comprise issuance of "recommended" rates of crude oil flow for the various states. A possible enforcement method, however, was seen in the OPM order which provided that materials would be withheld from any producer who failed to comply with rigid conservation practices. Both producers and suppliers of oil equipment were made criminally liable for any violations.

First certificates under the system, for January, were issued today. Telegrams were dispatched to the oil producing states informing them of the recommended production rates.

In each case, Ickes said, the rate was based upon a finding of fact that production at, but not greater than, such rate was essential in the national interest.

January Rates Fixed.

The recommended production rates for January, based on a bureau of mines forecast of 4,138,400 barrels as the daily national requirement for the month, were listed by Ickes as follows:

Illinois 386,400 barrels a day, Texas 1,573,500, California 646,200, Oklahoma 415,700, Louisiana 329,300, Kansas 259,900, New Mexico 121,200, Wyoming 78,600, Arkansas 73,700, Mississippi 60,400, Pennsylvania 47,400, Michigan 47,400, Montana 21,500, Indiana 17,300, New York 15,000, Kentucky 12,400, West Virginia 12,000, Ohio 9,000, Colorado 5,900, Nebraska 5,600.

Ickes said the "recommended production rates" would replace the monthly state forecast of demand which have been issued regularly by the bureau of mines.

Oil Flow Sets Record.

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—Crude oil production in the United States during the week ended Dec. 20 increased to the highest amount on record, the American Petroleum institute reported today.

Daily average output increased 204,600 barrels to 4,314,150 barrels. This compared with 3,621,200 barrels a year ago.

Stocks of finished and unfinished gasoline expanded to 89,297,000 barrels [including 7,408,000 aviation stocks], an increase of 1,875,000 from the preceding week. This compared with 81,651,000 barrels a year ago.

Estimated gasoline production amounted to 13,687,000 barrels, against 13,610,000 a week earlier. Refining operations were figured at 91.4 per cent of capacity.

425 FIRMS ADDED TO BLACKLIST AS AIDS OF ENEMY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—The United States today added 425 names to its "blacklist" of firms and individuals alleged to be trading with or acting for the enemy in other American republics. More than half—250—of the new names are Japanese. The previous supplemental list, issued Dec. 9, had already placed approximately 500 Japanese firms and persons on the blacklist.

In issuing the new list today, the state department said that a number of the additions were made because the firm or individual in question was acting as a "cloak"; that is, carrying on disguised transactions for or on the part of firms on the blacklist. Persons or firms which lend themselves to such "cloaking" activities will continue to be summarily included on the list, officials said.

By countries the principal additions total as follows: Argentina, 28; Bolivia, 9; Brazil, 62; Chile, 46; Colombia, 43; Costa Rica, 8; Ecuador, 6; Guatemala, 15; Mexico, 153; Nicaragua, 5; Peru, 32; Uruguay, 9; Venezuela, 5.

PIG CROP BREAKS ALL FALL MARKS AT 35½ MILLION

Pig raising in the United States this fall exceeded earlier expectations to set an all-time fall record, the department of agriculture farm survey disclosed yesterday. The department estimated the fall crop at 35,580,000 pigs, an increase of 18 per cent over the fall season of 1940 and 33 per cent increase over the 10 year average, 1930-'39.

The survey also showed that farmers intend to breed about 9,974,000 sows for 1942 spring pig raising, a gain of 2,200,000 head or 28 per cent over the number that farrowed during the spring season of 1941.

Should litters average about the same as last spring the 1942 crop will set a new all-time spring record of 62 million pigs, exceeding the 1941 spring total by 12½ million.

The combined spring and fall crops of 1941, at 85,035,000, stood 5,200,000, or 6½ per cent larger than the combined crops of 1940. The fall crop this year was larger than last year in all regions and in most states.

Study Plans to Offset Rubber Shortage and Supply Needs

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 [Special].—Several developments today marked United States efforts to offset the effect of war in the far east on its rubber supply.

Pressing for action on a bill authorizing the government to purchase equipment for the production of a substitute product, Sen. Sheridan Downey [D., Cal.], told the senate that a wild desert plant—guayule—may supply this country enough rubber to offset the Japanese threat.

He advocated purchase of facilities developed by the Intercontinental Rubber company for about 3 million dollars, and said the development of guayule plant cultivation would, within five years, yield rubber sufficient to meet all needs.

Approve Synthetic Boost.

Meanwhile the Supply Priorities Allocations Board approved a proposal by Federal Loan Administrator Jesse Jones to triple the present program for synthetic rubber production, subject to Office of Production Management assurance that sufficient materials would be available for construction and operation of the necessary additional plants.

Jones told SPAB the increased production would yield an annual output of 120,000 tons, under a program he was working out with the rubber industry. Synthetic rubber facilities now under construction would have a capacity of 40,000 tons a year. Jones said all of the new plants could be in operation early in 1943.

Contemplates Land Purchase.

The Downey measure authorizes the acquisition of 45,000 acres of semi-arid land for development of the guayule plant. Downey said the plant would thrive in Arizona, California, New Mexico, and probably many other sections of the western hemisphere.

It was announced in Batavia, Dutch East Indies, that the export of rubber and other defense materials had been expedited thru placing them under a general export permit instead of individual licenses. The system was revised to hasten shipments principally to the United States and England.

Scrap Rubber Supply Large.

Harvey S. Firestone, president of the Firestone Tire and Rubber company, announced in Akron, O., that perhaps a million tons of scrap rubber is available for emergency use. Such a supply is 20 to 25 per cent more than the largest amount of crude rubber ever used in the United States in a single year. The scrap rubber, he said, is in addition to the automobile tires that are suitable for retreading. Firestone and other companies are preparing to manufacture tires from reclaimed rubber.

The Monsanto Chemical company acquired for $450,000 a plant in Texas City, Tex., for the production of a chemical used in the production of synthetic rubber.

Car Owners Warned

An appeal to Chicago's 617,000 automobile owners to conserve rubber was voiced last night by Mayor Kelly and Michael F. Mulcahy, head of the tire rationing organization in Chicago. They warned that motorists must conserve or soon go without tires.

On information obtained from Washington, they pointed out that existing stocks of new tires in the country—and probably in Chicago as well—are adequate to meet only about two months normal requirements.

The ban on buying of tires will be lifted and rationing started on Jan. 5. Mulcahy said he is well along with his organization of the ration depots to be opened thruout the city, but is awaiting detailed instructions from Washington.

Set 7% Limit on Pipe Lines' 'Pay' to Owner

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—The bulk of the nation's petroleum industry agreed today to a 7 per cent limit on returns from investments in common carrier pipe lines. The agreement was made in connection with a final judgment closing a civil action in which the government alleged violation of the interstate commerce and Elkins acts.

The justice department had charged that returns to oil companies from subsidiary pipe line companies had run as high as 34 per cent a year. Officials said that 500 million dollars of payments over a period of years was involved in the suit.

Three test suits were filed last year. These have been dropped inasmuch as those defendants are among the 20 major companies, 52 common carriers pipe line companies and seven other subsidiaries which joined in the judgment.

Provisions of Agreement.

The agreement provides that:

None of the pipe lines may pay, directly or indirectly, to any shipper-owner during any calendar year more than 7 per cent of its share of the valuation of the pipe line property as determined by the Interstate Commerce commission.

Excess earnings by the pipe lines are to be put in a special surplus account for use to extend present facilities or build or acquire new ones; to meet "normal and reasonable" working capital needs, and to retire debt incurred in extending or acquiring common carrier facilities. Such expenditures from the surplus account may not be included in valuations on which the 7 per cent return is to be figured.

Charge Refunds Are Made.

The complaint alleged that the pipe lines had paid to their stockholding shipper-owners [the major oil companies] refunds and rebates under the guise of dividends on capital stock. The department contended that these returns often were exorbitant and gave the major companies a discriminatory advantage over other shippers of petroleum products.

At the time of filing the test suits, the department said that during a 10 year period Standard Oil company of Indiana had received dividends aggregating $91,600,000, or 48 per cent of all transportation revenues paid to its wholly owned subsidiary, Stanolind Pipe Line company.

FIRMS CUT ROYALTIES TO SPEED OUTPUT OF FUEL FOR WARPLANES

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Secretary of Interior Harold L. Ickes announced today a group of American companies owning patents on the processes of manufacturing 100 octane gasoline had agreed to slice their royalties in half, thus enabling a greater number of refiners to produce this fuel for fighting planes.

By terms of an agreement affecting such fuel supplied the government, Ickes said, royalties are immediately cut from 42 to 21 cents a barrel, effective until July 1, 1943, when the royalty price will be reduced further to 15 cents a barrel.

He estimated the reductions would save American taxpayers more than 5 million dollars annually on their war bill.

Securities Offerings

Moderate preholiday activity in the securities market yesterday included an offering of 75,000 shares of General Motors corporation common stock at $29.63½ a share by a group headed by the Union Securities corporation. The stock was reported to have come from a large Michigan estate.

A 4 million dollar issue of Food Machinery corporation 3 per cent debentures is being offered today by Kidder, Peabody & Co. and Mitchum, Tully & Co. Proceeds will be used by the company, which has its headquarters in San Jose, Cal., to retire bank loans and for general corporate purpose. Due Dec. 1, 1956, the debentures are priced at par plus accrued interest.

A block of 50,000 shares of Bond Stores, Inc., men's clothing retailer, is being offered by a group of 19 underwriting firms, including Lehman Brothers and Wertheim & Co. at prices based on New York Stock exchange quotations. The stock closed yesterday at $18.25 a share.

Loew's, Inc., announced it had arranged financing for retirement of its outstanding $10,456,000 of 3½ per cent debentures due in 1946 and of the 136,022 outstanding shares of $6.50 no par preferred stock. The arrangements, an official said, include sale to a group of life insurance companies of 13 million dollars in 15 year 3 per cent debentures and bank loans amounting to 5 millions.

Push Fight for Patent Office

BY AL CHASE.

Chicago still has a chance to have the government patent office brought here despite the report that in the movement of federal nondefense agencies from Washington the big bureau was to go to New York. Gov Julius Heil of Wisconsin, it was learned yesterday, has taken steps to have it moved to Chicago which, he said, is a better location for it. There are 1,400 employés in the patent office.

Mayor Kelly yesterday indicated that there was no need for the government to erect any more office buildings in Chicago, as a report from Washington hinted may be done. He asserted that plenty of office space was available in structures in downtown and nearby areas.

Plenty of Space Available.

"Some buildings may have to be remodeled and modernized, but there's all the space the government needs in the loop and also on the near north side, just outside the loop," the mayor said.

The Metropolitan Housing council has offered Washington its services in obtaining housing accommodations for the 2,950 persons coming to Chicago in the proposed shift of five federal bureaus here. Yesterday it established a homes registration bureau for government workers moving to Chicago. John R. Fugard, president of the council, said that it would help Washington employés to trade homes with those being transferred from here to the capital. Registrations already are coming in, he said

Manager is Appointed.

It was announced in Washington yesterday that Fred E. Taylor, of Portland, Ore., former president of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, has been appointed manager of the new Office of Decentralization Service, in Washington, by W. E. Reynolds, commissioner of public buildings.

COMPENSATION BOARD, OFFICE OF EXPORT CONTROL, ECONOMIC DEFENSE BOARD, 621 Bond Bldg., corner of 14th St. and N. Y. Ave. N. W., Washington, D. C. In the matter of ONE SINGLE ECCENTRIC ACTION PRESS, notice is hereby given that there has been requisitioned and taken over by the United States, pursuant to Act of October 10, 1940, 54 Stat. 1099, the following article under Req. APC No. 1561. One 800 Ton Type E 1800-48 single eccentric action press, and all equipment therefor ordered for export to France by S. A. Kerwich. The above article was manufactured by Clearing Machine Corp., Chicago, Ill., and taken from Transport Trading and Terminal Corp., at Army Base, Norfolk, Virginia, on March 28, 1941. All persons having or claiming any interest in or to the said article or any part thereof are hereby notified to file with the said Compensation Board claim for just compensation on or before January 5, 1941. Communicate with the Secretary immediately for the necessary forms. It is ordered by the Board that there be three publications of this notice in the Chicago Tribune prior to January 5, 1941. PAUL H. McMURRAY, Major, J.A.G.D., Secy.

Cuba, U. S. Sign New Trade Pact

Washington, D. C., Dec. 23 (AP).—Two provisions of special importance to a world at war were included in a supplemental trade agreement signed at Havana today between the United States and Cuba.

One brought the agreement up to date to include "a specific reservation regarding measures adopted for the protection of . . . essential interests in time of war or other national emergency."

The second reduced the duty on Cuban sugar from 90 cents per 100 pounds to 75 cents because of what the state department termed "the desirability, particularly in the light of the emergency situation created by the axis powers, of maintaining Cuba's position as a supplier of sugar to the United States market."

U. S. Gets 38 Concessions.

Cuba granted duty concessions on 38 United States products. The United States granted concessions on a variety of products. The principal ones, aside from sugar, were molasses, tobacco, cigars, fresh, chilled or frozen beef, and veal.

The agreement supplements the trade agreement signed by Cuba and the United States in 1934 and amended in 1939.

The sugar duty reduction was the item of greatest interest because any decrease had been fought, at hearings here last September, by domestic beet and cane producers and by Puerto Rican interests. The 75 cent sugar tariff is equivalent to about 43 per cent ad valorem, according to the state department announcement.

Assurance to Cuba.

"This government," it said, "gives assurances to the Cuban government that it will exert every appropriate effort to safeguard the position of Cuba as a supplier of sugar for the United States market as compared with its position under the sugar act of 1937."

The new agreement provides rates of duty 50 per cent below those applicable on molasses and sugar sirups under the tariff act of 1930. Based on average 1940 imports of the various types the new rates will be equivalent to approximately 40 per cent ad valorem for edible molasses, 19 per cent for liquid sugar, and 2 per cent for industrial molasses.

CHICAGO FIRM TO BE PRODUCER OF MAGNESIUM

Buying More Stock in Union Potash.

BY PHILIP HAMPSON.

Chicago is assured of an important position in one of America's newest industries — production of the metal magnesium — Louis Ware, president of the International Minerals and Chemical corporation, disclosed yesterday in announcing a large expansion program for the company. International Minerals is a 30 million dollar company which recently moved its executive offices from New York and Atlanta to Chicago. It formerly was known as the International Agricultural corporation.

Louis Ware.

Ware said that an important step in its expansion program was the conclusion of a deal whereby it is purchasing from the Independent Chemical and Potash company and the Texas Potash corporation—two holding companies—their minority interest consisting of 149,222 shares of the common stock of the Union Potash and Chemical company at $6.50 a share.

Produced as By-Product.

International Minerals with this purchase will hold 464,985 shares, or 82.26 per cent, of Union Potash common stock. It already owns 74,805 shares out of 78,421 of Union Potash preferred stock. The holding companies are being dissolved.

Union Potash owns some 10,000 acres near Carlsbad, N. M., where it entered broad scale production of potash in the fall of 1940. This production came at a time when America had to rely on Germany for a substantial part of its potash, a mineral which is used as a fertilizer and for numerous other purposes.

One of the by-products of the Carlsbad operation is magnesium chloride, which is produced from waste liquids. Compressed into briquettes, the magnesium chloride is converted into magnesium—one of the vital metals required by the airplane industry—by the Dow Chemical company in its Texas plant.

Building New Texas Plant.

Now, however, International Minerals is building a 14 million dollar plant at Austin, Tex., with funds supplied by the Defense Plant corporation, with an annual capacity of about 24 million pounds of magnesium annually. Union Potash is building at Carlsbad a large plant, with funds also supplied by the DPC, for the recovery of magnesium chloride.

Dow Chemical has entered into a contract with International Minerals to coöperate and supply technical aid to get the former's Austin plant in operation.

"The future of magnesium, which has had its greatest development in Germany, is closely linked with that of the airplane," Ware said. "Any one who believes in the future of the airplane may believe in the future of magnesium. This metal weighs about a third less than aluminum. Its light weight combined with great strength makes it ideal for airplane construction both in engine parts and plane parts.

Engineering Office Here.

"Our Chicago headquarters will play a large part in our own development of magnesium for we have our engineering, sales, and other essential offices here. Chicago is the center of a large metal working industry which one day will use magnesium in large quantities. Home appliances where lightness is desirable to promote ease of handling are made in large quantities in Chicago and this is only one field."

International Minerals last summer leased the entire 29th floor of the Civic Opera building for its general offices and is now taking about a quarter of the space on the 30th floor for its magnesium department.

Ware said that International Minerals is building a new $700,000 phosphate plant at Mulberry, Fla., and plans a new phosphate mine and plant at Mount Pleasant, Tenn. It will rebuild its Chicago Heights plant which was destroyed by fire early this month.

Erie Workers Get Back Wages Before Christmas

Cleveland, O., Dec. 23 (AP).—To provide employés with additional Christmas money, Erie railroad is distributing $1,250,000 of back pay checks to its employés a week earlier than ordered by President Roosevelt's fact finding board. Erie's president, R. E. Woodruff, announced today.

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STOCKS UNEVEN; SOME FAVORITE ISSUES HIGHER

Tax Selling Keeps Total Trading Large.

New York, Dec. 23 (AP).—Altho a number of favorite stocks were lifted fractions to a point or more today, declines of as much were plentiful and the trend at the close was indefinite.

The Associated Press average of 60 stocks was unchanged at 35.5 after a drop of .5 in the preceding session to a new low since April 1, 1938. Tax selling persisted on a large scale and put the turnover at 1,417,422 shares.

On the side of bullish contingents were reports the invading Japanese were being held in the Philippines, signs of more serious Nazi defeats in Russia and important British successes in Africa.

Market Has Handicaps.

Handicapping some buyers, however, was the thought Hitler may be engineering a desperate move in some part of the world to counteract his reverses in Russia. In addition, no comfort was derived from word that Nipponese troops had landed on Wake Island and that enemy submarines were bombarding merchant ships off the Pacific coast.

Many new lows for the year or longer were registered. Among these were American Telephone which lost 1¾ at 121¾ when its subsidiary, New York Telephone, declared a dividend of $1.50, putting this year's payments at $7.50 against $8 in 1940.

American Can eliminated a sizeable early setback and finished unchanged at 59 when directors voted the regular dividend of $1 on the stock.

CHICAGO PRICES SAG.

The price trend continued downward on the Chicago Stock exchange yesterday and trading volume, at 56,000 shares, fell below the recent average.

Buyers' interest was centered on a few issues, of which Quaker Oats was outstanding with a rise of 1¼ points to 54. The stock has attracted increasing interest within the last few months, and yesterday joined the group of volume leaders with transactions of 1,790 shares.

Commonwealth Edison gained ⅛ point at 20¾. Paramount Pictures also rose ⅛ to 13¾. Chrysler, down ⅜ point at 41⅞, showed the largest loss among the active issues.

LARGER DIVIDEND IS DECLARED BY CHICAGO FIRM

Directors of the Creamery Package Manufacturing company, Chicago, yesterday declared a dividend of 37½ cents for payment next month, compared with a preceding payment of 35 cents in October. The company also paid three dividends of 30 cents each this year. Yesterday's dividend actions follow:

Stock. rate, period—	Stock of Rec.	Payable.	record.
Ace News Co. 30c		Jan 15	Jan 5
Boston Edison. 50c q		Feb 2	Jan 10
Celotex. 25c q		Jan 31	Jan 23
De pfd. $1.25 q		Jan 31	Jan 23
Conde Nast Publ. 40c		Jan 31	Jan 23
Creamery Pkge Mfg. 37½c		Jan 15	Dec 31
Froedtert Grain&M. 20c q		Feb 1	Dec 31
De pf 35c q		Feb 1	Jan 15
Gimbel Bros pfd. $1.50 q		Jan 25	Jan 10
Hershey Chocolate. 75c q		Feb 16	Jan 24
De pfd. $1 q		Feb 16	Jan 24
De pfd. $1		Feb 16	Jan 24
Julian & Kokenge. 75c		Jan 15	Jan 2
Krueger Brew. 12½c		Jan 16	Jan 9
Middle States Petr cl A. 31c		Jan 20	Jan 2
De cl B. 5c		Jan 20	Jan 2
Nat Dist Prod. 50c q		Jan 20	Jan 2
New York Tel. $1.50		Dec 31	Dec 15
Philadelphia Elec. 35c		Dec 31	Dec 15
Reading Co. 25c q		Feb 2	Jan 8
Saco-Lowell Shops. $1 extra		Feb 12	Jan 15
De pfd. 25c q		Dec 30	Dec 26
Union Stkyds of Omaha. 50c		Feb 16	Feb 10
Waltham Watch pr pf. $7 arr.		Dec 31	Dec 20
WestPenn El 7% pf. $1.75 q		Feb 16	Jan 30
Williams & Co. 10c		Dec 31	Dec 20
q—Quarterly. arr—arrears.		Jan 10	Dec 30

WHAT STOCKS DID

[Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1941.]

NEW YORK STOCKS.
TRIBUNE AVERAGES.

	25 Indust.	25 rails.	50 stks.
High	134.50	17.61	76.05
Low	132.55	17.35	74.95
Close	133.94	17.48	75.71
Net change	—0.04	+0.04	

ASSOCIATED PRESS AVERAGES.

	30 Indust.	15 rails.	15 util.	60 stks.
Net change	—0.1	+0.1	—0.2	
Tuesday	*51.7	13.6	*25.1	35.5
Prev. day	51.8	13.5	25.3	35.5
Month ago	57.1	15.9	29.5	39.8
Year ago	61.6	15.6	34.5	43.2
1941 high	63.9	19.0	35.5	45.0
1941 low	51.7	13.4	25.1	35.5
1940 high	74.2	20.5	46.6	52.2
1940 low	52.3	13.0	30.9	37.0

60 Stock Range Since 1927:

	1938-'39.	1932-'37.	1927-'29.
High	54.7	75.3	157.7
Low	33.7	16.9	61.8

*New 1941 lows.

DOW-JONES AVERAGES.

	30 indust.	20 rails.	15 util.	65 stks.
Opening	106.43	24.37	13.53	35.44
11 a. m.	106.49	24.41	13.52	35.46
12 noon	106.22	24.37	13.55	35.46
1 p. m.	106.37	24.41	13.50	35.39
2 p. m.	106.41	24.45	13.56	35.47
High	107.21	24.59	13.75	35.74
Low	105.57	24.28	13.39	35.18
Close	106.34	24.46	13.66	35.47
Net change	—0.25	+0.08	+0.11	—0.01

Transactions.

[In stocks used in Dow-Jones averages.]

Industrials	197,800
Railroads	69,000
Utilities	124,600
Total	391,400

LONDON AVERAGES.
[London Financial Times.]

	Close.	Net chg.
Industrials	100.3	+0.2
Railroads	53.1	

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

[Quoted in American cents.]

	Dec. 23.	Dec. 22.	Wk. ago.	Yr. ago.
London	403.00	403.00	403.00	403.00
†Do	403.00	403.00	403.00	403.00
Canada	86 12⅝	86 25/32	87 62½	86 56¼
†Do	90.91	90.91	90.91	90.91
Argentina	23.60	23.65	24.00	23.61
†Do	29.77	29.77	29.77	29.77
Brazil	*5.18⅝	*5.18⅝	5.18⅝	5.05
India	30.35	30.35	30.35	30.32
China	4.00	4.00	4.00	3.50
Singapore	47.50	47.50	47.50	47.75
Mexico	*20.70	*20.70	20.66	20.75

Japanese yen not quoted. *Nominal. †Official. ‡Selling price; banks buy at 402c.

NAVAL STORES.

SAVANNAH Ga., Dec. 23 (AP).—TURPENTINE—68½ per gal.; offerings, 136 casks; sales, 6,600 gals; receipts, 254; shipments, 162; stock, 1,763. ROSIN—Offerings, 1,257; shipments, 2,643; stock, 34,823. Quote: B, D $2.97; E $3.05; F, $3.02; G, H, I, $3.08; WW X, $3.60.

This market will be closed until Monday, Dec. 29.

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1941.
Shares sold today.....1,417,422
Year ago.....833,450

Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1941.
Total sales 1941 to date.....150,348,938
Total sales 1940 to date.....202,349,840

[The figure in brackets after name of stock is annual dividend rate.]

—1941— High	Low	Stock, div. $—	Sales, 100s.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
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55⅝	46	Abbott Lab [1.60a]	2	47¾	47¾	47	47	— ⅛
124	108	†Do pf [4.50]						
64½	37¾	†Abr & Straus [3.50g]	.50	108½	108½	108¼	108½	+7/32
8¾	5½	Adams Exp [.60g]	.10	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝	37⅝	— ⅛
15⅞	9½	Addressogr [1]	21	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	
45	34⅝	Air Reduction [1a]	10	10	10	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
5	1⅜	Alaska Juneau	23	35¼	36⅜	35½	36⅜	+ ⅛
⅝	⅛	Alleghany Corp	32	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	
9⅜	3¼	Do pf xw	61	5/32	5/32			
10⅝	3⅝	Do pf $30 ww	3	3½	3½	3⅜	3⅜	
21½	21½	Do pr pf	3	37¼	37¼	37¼	37¼	
25⅝	17¼	Alleg-Lud Stl [2.25g]	1	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	
11¼	4⅜	Allen Industries [1]	1	20⅞	20⅞	20⅞	20⅞	+ ⅛
167½	136	Al Chem & Dye [6a]	10	137	137	136	136	— 1
13	10¼	Allied Mills [1a]	3	5	5	5	5	
14⅜	11½	Allied Mills [1.25g]	1	11	11	11	11	
9	5	Allied Strs	2	12¾	12¾	12¾	12¾	
37	24½	Allis-Ch Mfg [1.50g]	37	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	+ ⅛
1⅜	⅝	Amal Leather	45	26⅝	27¼	26⅝	26⅝	+ ⅛
63½	44	Amerada Corp [2]	1	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	
22⅞	14⅝	Am Ag Ch Del [1.20g]	2	53	53½	53	53½	— ⅛
58½	40	Am Airlines [1.50g]	5	20½	20¾	20¼	20¾	+ ⅛
9⅜	5½	Am Bank Note [.30g]	25	5¼	44¾	44¾	44¾	— ⅛
47½	41¾	†Do pf [3]	4	43¾	43¾	43¾	43¾	— ⅛
8¾	3½	Am Bosch	10	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾	— ⅛
39	26½	Am Br Shoe [2.20g]	21	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾	— ⅛
130½	122½	†Do pf [5.25]	37	5¾	5¾	5¾	5¾	
3	1	Am Cable & Rad	30	126	126	126	126	+ 1
95¼	57	Am Can [4]	38	58⅜	59	57	59	
34⅜	23	Am Car & Fdy [1g]	7	29	29⅜	28⅝	29⅜	+ ⅛
79¾	56	Do pf [7]	2	65½	65½	65½	65½	— ⅛
23½	16½	Am Ch & Cable [2g]	4	18½	19	18½	19	+ ⅛
19	9½	Am Cryst Sug [1.25g]	2	17⅞	17¾	17⅞	17½	+ ⅛
1⅞	⅝	Am Encaus Tiling	4	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	
6½	3¾	Am European [.40g]	1	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	
1¼	⅜	Am & For Pow	25	¾	9/32	⅜	⅜	
24⅝	11⅞	Do $6 pf [1.50k]	3	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼	— ⅛
28⅜	14⅜	Do $7 pf [1.75k]	10	18½	18½	18½	18½	
3⅞	1¼	Do 2d pf	1	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾	+ ⅛
38½	29	Am-Hawaii S S [5g]	13	30½	30½	30	30	— ⅛
4½	2	Am Hide & Leather	4	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	
33½	27	Do pf [3]	1	30⅜	30⅜	30⅜	30⅜	— ⅛
51¼	43	Am Home Pr [2.40a]	3	44¾	45	44¾	45	—
2¼	1¼	Am Ice	4	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	
4¼	2⅜	Am International	6	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	
13¾	7	Am Invest Ill [.80]	15	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	
17⅛	7¾	Am Locomotive	14	8⅝	8⅝	8¼	8¼	
95¼	77¼	Do pf [7k]	1	81	81	81	81	
13¾	8¾	Am M & Fdy [.94g]	14	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	
6½	2¼	Am M & Met	3	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	— ⅛
23	15½	Am Metal [1.50g]	5	19	19¼	18⅝	18⅝	— ⅜
26½	23½	Am News Co [1.80]	.40	24½	24½	24½	24½	
3¼	½	Am Pow & Lt	50	⅛	9/16	2⅛	25	
46⅜	21¼	Do $6 pf [5.25k]	22	22	22	21¾	22	— ⅛
30	17½	Do $5 pf [4.375k]	28	18	18¼	17⅞	18¼	— ⅛
15⅞	9	Am Rad & St S [.60]	16	3⅞	4	3⅞	4	+ ⅛
73¾	50	Am Roll Mill [1.40]	41	10	10	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
10⅝	6	Do pf [4.50]	16	44¾	45	44¾	45	— ⅛
40⅜	29	Am Seating [1g]	7	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	+ ⅛
45⅝	33⅜	Am Ship Bldg [2g]	.50	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾	— ⅛
155	138¾	Am Smelt&R [3.50r]	36	38¾	39	38¾	38¾	+ ⅛
54	29¾	Do pf [7]	1	143¾	143¾	143¾	143¾	+ ⅛
28½	15⅞	Am Snuff Co [3.25c]	6	30	30	29¾	30	— ⅛
13½	7⅜	Am Stl Fdrs [2g]	47	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
22½	13	Am Stove [1.20]	7	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	
8¾	4¾	Am Sugar Ref [2.50g]	9	20	20	19¾	20	— ⅛
19¾	11¼	Am Sumat Tob [1]	2	92	92	92	92	— ⅛
168¾	121¼	Am Tel & Tel [9]	15	15	15	15	15	
73½	43⅞	Am Tobacco [4.50g]	73	122¾	123	121¼	121½	— ⅜
74½	43⅞	Do B [4.50g]	16	44	44¾	44	44¾	— ⅛
23¾	3⅜	Am Type Fdrs	7	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	
22⅝	23½	Am Viscose [1g]	8	43¾	43¾	43¾	44¾	— ⅛
118½	112	Do pf [5]	31	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾	— ⅛
7¾	2½	Am Wat Wks	99½	113¾	113¾	113¾	113¾	+ ⅛
8¾	⅝	Am Woolen	1	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾	— ⅛
81¾	51	Do pf [12k]	1	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾	
8	3¾	Am Zinc L & S	5	70	70½	70	70½	+ ⅛
30	22¾	Anaconda [2.50g]	13	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	
35½	24	Anacon W&C [2.50]	66	26	26¾	25¾	26¼	— ⅛
17¾	11¼	Anchor Hock Gl [.90g]	6	14	14	14	14	
115½	110¾	†Do pf [5]	1	111¾	111¾	111¾	111¾	+ ⅛
12½	7	Andes Copper [1]	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
2¾	⅝	A P W Paper	3	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	
33⅞	26	Arch-Dan-M [1.85g]	3	31	31¾	30½	31¾	+ ⅛
5½	2¼	Armour Ill	24	3	3	3	3	
70¾	47½	Do pr pf [3k]	3	58	58	58	58	— 1⅛
72	60	Do pf	1	70¾	70¾	70¾	70¾	+ ⅛
34⅝	21½	Armstrong Ck [2.25g]	22	22¾	23¼	22¾	23½	+ 1
10⅝	8¾	Asso Dry Goods	7	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	+ ⅛
88	78	Do 1 pf [6]	10	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	+ ⅛
35½	21¼	Associates Inv [2a]	1	79½	79½	79½	79½	+ 1⅛
96½	82	†Do pf [5.50]	4	21¾	21¾	21¾	21½	— ⅛
31⅝	18	Atch T & S F	1.50	85½	85½	84¾	85	— 1
70¾	53⅜	Do pf [5]	39	25½	26¼	25¾	26¼	+ ⅛
28⅛	13¾	Atl Coast Line [12]	26	58	58	57¾	57¾	— ⅛
28½	10½	Atl Refining [1a]	26	19	19¼	18⅝	19¼	— ⅛
7⅛	6⅜	Atlas Corp [.50g]	27	24	24	24	24¼	— ⅛
47½	47½	Do pf [3]	23	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	— ⅛
72¾	61	Atlas Powd [4.50g]	1	49	49	49	49	
122	111	†Do pf [5]	1	69	69	69	69	— ⅛
3¾	1¾	Aust Nichols	.70	115	115	115	115	+ ⅛
5¼	2⅝	Aviation Corp [.15g]	30	3⅜	3⅝	3⅜	3⅝	— ⅛
B								
19	10¾	Bald Loco ct	16	12¾	13½	12¾	13¾	+ ⅜
5⅝	2⅜	Balt & Ohio	27	2⅝	2⅝	2⅜	2⅝	— ⅛
8⅝	3¾	Bangor & Af	7	4¼	4¼	4¼	4¼	
34	18⅜	†Do pf	4	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	
13¼	7	Barber Asph	4.60	20¼	21½	20¼	20¾	— ⅛
10½	7⅜	Barnsdall Oil [.60]	30	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
24⅜	13⅝	Bath Ir Wks [1.25g]	7	16½	16½	15½	15⅝	— ⅛
27⅝	17¼	Bayuk Cigar [1.50]	1	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
8	6¾	Beatrice Cream [1a]	5	6¾	6¾	6¾	6¾	
41½	32⅜	Bendix Aviat [4g]	8	37⅜	38	37⅜	38	— ⅛
20⅜	11	Benef Ind Ln [1.70g]	8	11¼	11½	11¼	11½	
34¾	19¾	Best & Co [1.60a]	9	20	20¾	19¾	20¼	— ⅛
35⅜	12¾	Bethlehem Steel [6g]	9	20	20¾	19¾	20¼	— ⅛
131	110	Do pf [7]	42	59½	60	59½	59½	+ ⅛
31⅞	23½	Bigelow-Sanf [4]	1	117½	117½	117½	117½	— ⅛
23⅞	15⅝	Black & Decker [1.80g]	1	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼	+ ⅛
10½	5	Blaw-Knox [1.60]	23	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	
18⅜	13⅝	Bliss & Laugh [2g]	2	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾	+ ⅛
17	10¾	†Bloomingdale [.80]	1	35¾	37¼	34¾	36½	+ ⅝
24⅜	17⅜	Boeing Airplane	10	18½	18½	18½	18½	— ⅛
35	25⅝	Bohn Alum [2g]	1	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	
111⅝	90	†Bon Ami [A]	.20	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾	— ⅛
54	38	†Do B [2½a]	.40	41	41¼	41	41¼	— ⅛
23⅝	17	Bond Strs [1.60a]	4	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛
21⅞	14⅜	Borden Co [1.40g]	26	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
26½	16	Borg-Warner [2g]	30	19¼	19¾	18¾	18¾	— ⅛
3¾	⅞	Boston & Maine	1	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	
39⅝	20	Bower Roll Bear [3]	2	30	30	30	30	
17⅛	16⅜	Brewing Corp Am	2	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	
15⅞	8⅝	Bridgeport Brass [1]	8	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	7⅝	
45⅛	38	Briggs Mfg [2.25g]	27	15	15	14⅝	14⅝	— ⅛
12⅞	7⅝	Bristol-Myers [2.40a]	5	42¾	43	42¾	42¾	— ⅛
14⅛	7	Bklyn Un Gas	19	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	
8⅛	5¼	Brunswick-Balke [2.50g]	5	12⅜	13	12⅜	13	+ ⅛
34⅛	18⅜	Budd Mfg	19	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
8¾	5¼	Budd Wheel [1.05g]	7	6	6	6	6	
35⅝	23½	Bulova Watch [2a]	3	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾	+ ⅛
97¾	77	Burlington Mills [1.50g]	27	15⅜	16	15⅜	16	— ⅛
9⅝	5⅝	Burr Add Mach [.70g]	60	6	6⅛	5⅝	5⅝	— ⅛
6⅜	4¼	Bush Terminal	1	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜	
23	15	Butler Bros [.60]	6	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼	
4¾	2¼	Do pf [1.50]	3	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	
11⅞	6	Butte Cop & Zinc	2	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	
100	76½	Byers A M	6	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	
12	7½	Byron Jackson [1g]	.5	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼	— ⅛
C								
24⅜	15⅜	Calif Packing [1.50]	7	17¼	17¼	17¼	17¼	— ⅛
1½	⅜	Callahan Z-Lead	18	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	
4⅜	2⅜	Calumet & Hec [1]	13	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	
14⅞	9⅝	Campbell W't [1.60g]	4	12	12¼	11⅝	12	— ⅛
17½	10⅞	Can Dry Ging Ale [.60]	40	26⅞	†Can Sou Ry [3]	.20	27	27	27	27	— ⅛
5¼	3	Canadian Pacific	39	32¾	Cannon Mills [1.50]	3	3¼	3¼	3	3¼	+ ⅛
3¾	1⅞	Capital Ad A	1	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾	— ⅛
92½	79	†Carp C & O [5]	15	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	
3½	2¼	Carriera & Gen [.225g]	50	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾	— ⅛
50⅝	36	Caterpil Tractor [2]	6	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	
122¼	116¾	Celanese Corp [2]	42	36¼	36¾	36	36¼	— 1⅛
10½	5⅝	†Do pr pf [7]	.10	119¼	119¼	119¼	119¼	— ⅜
22⅜	15	Cent Aguirre	.10	66	66	66	66	
7¾	1⅜	Cent Foundry	4	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	
4	1	Cent R R N J	3	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	
17	4¼	Cent Violeta Sug [1g]	2	15	15	15	15	
34⅝	25	Cerro de Pas [4]	17	26¾	26½	26	26	— ⅛
5⅜	1⅛	Certain-teed Prod	7	3¼	3¼	3¼	3¼	
37⅜	22⅜	†Do 6% pf	2	23¼	24	23¼	24	— ⅛
22½	15	Chain Belt [1.75g]	1	17	17	17	17	
107½	95	†Do pf [6]	7	15¼	15⅝	15	15⅜	+ ⅛
127	120¾	du Pont pf [4.50]	.10	97	97	97	97	— 2
4¼	2¼	Ches Corp	33	31¾	32¾	31¾	32¾	+ ⅛
13⅜	⅜	Chi & E Ill	1	9/16	9/16	9/16	9/16	—1/16
6½	1⅜	Do A	12	3¼	3¼	1⅜	1⅜	— ⅛
3	13/16	Chi Grt West	4	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	
11¼	3⅞	Do pf	4	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
19½	9½	Chi Pneu Tool [2g]	4	15¾	16	15⅝	15⅝	— ⅛
54	49	Do pr pf [2.50]	1	52	52	52	52	+ ⅛
5/16	1/32	Chi Rk Is & Pac	9	1/32	1/32	1/32	1/32	
⅛	1/16	Do 6% pf	1	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	
9¾	8¼	Chi Yell Cab [11]	2	8¼	8¾	8¼	8¾	+ ⅛
14¾	10¼	Chickasha Cot Oil [1]	1	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾	+ ⅛
3	1	Childs Co	3	1	1	1	1	
72½	41⅜	Chrysler Corp [6g]	.156	41¾	42½	41⅜	42¼	+ ⅜
10⅝	8	City Ice&Fuel [1.20]	24	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾	— ⅛
40⅜	29½	Clark Equip [3.25g]	2	31	31	31	31	
33¾	24	Cler Graph Br [2g]	6	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¼	— ⅜
105	98	Do pf [5]	.10	100	100	100	100	— ⅛
43⅜	26⅞	Climax Molyb [1.20a]	19	41¾	42	41¾	42	+ ⅛
39⅞	28½	Cluett Peabody [3g]	11	35¾	37¼	34⅝	34⅝	— 1⅛
16¾	10½	Coca-Cola [5g]	5	83	83	82½	82½	— ⅛
30⅝	12½	Colgate-Palm-P [.50a]	28	11	11	10¾	11	
14	10⅝	Collins & Aik [3g]	7	13	13	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
1⅞	5/16	†Col & South	1.90	106¼	106¼	106	106	— ⅜
3½	1	Do 1st pf	1.70	½	½	½	½	
21⅝	12½	Col Fuel&Iron [1a]	1	1¼	1¼	1¼	1¼	+ ⅛
21	11	Colum Brdcast A [2g]	30	11½	11¾	11	11¾	— ⅛
4⅞	1	Do B [2g]	7	11¼	11¼	11	11¼	— ⅛
72	42½	Colum G&El [.10g]	.251	1	1¼	1	1¼	+ ⅛
4¼	2⅜	†Do 5% pf [5]	11	45¼	45½	45¼	45½	— ⅛
13¾	7	Colum Pict	1	43	43	43	43⅝	+ ⅜
3¾	2⅛	Do pf [2.75]	1	24½	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
83	66	Colum Carbon [4.70g]	1	24½	24¾	24¾	24¾	— ⅛
31	16⅛	Coml Credit [3]	.41	17¾	17¾	16⅞	17	— ⅛
37⅞	19¼	Coml Invest Tr [3]	.83	19⅝	20⅛	19⅝	19⅞	+ ⅛
11⅞	7½	Coml Solvents [.55g]	25	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾	— ⅛
65⅝	39⅜	Comwlth & South	.222	⅞	5/32	⅞	⅞	— ⅛
30⅜	20	Do pf [3]	4	23¾	24	23¾	24	— ⅛
4	2¼	Conwlth Edis [1.80]	77	20¾	21¼	20¾	21⅛	— ⅛
18⅝	13⅜	Conde Nast [.25g]	4	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
22⅜	18⅛	Congoleum-Nairn [1a]	13	13¾	14⅛	13¾	14	— ⅛
97¾	77	Consol Aircr [4g]	70	22¾	23½	22¾	23½	— ⅛
103	90	†Consol Cigar pf [7]	.50	80	80	77	77	— 4
8¼	4⅞	†Do pr pf [6.50]	.20	92	92	92	92	
21⅛	11⅝	Cons Coppermin [.75g]	16	6¼	6¾	6	6⅜	+ ⅛
107⅜	82½	Cons Edison [1.80g]	.194	11⅞	12	11⅝	12	— ⅛
11⅝	6	Do pf [5]	1	83¾	83¾	83	83¼	— ⅛
100	76½	†Do pf [20.65k]	.10	88	88	88	88	— 1
12	7½	Consol Film Ind

CELOTEX PROFIT SETS A RECORD OF 1¾ MILLIONS

Operating at Top Speed on Military Orders.

The Celotex corporation, operating at top speed to supply building materials for military and industrial plants, disclosed yesterday that the last fiscal year was the most profitable in the history of the business, which is operated from headquarters in Chicago.

Net earnings for the year ended Oct. 31 were $1,749,098, equal after preferred dividends to $2.51 a share on common stock, compared with $747,627, or 94 cents a share, in the preceding fiscal period.

The company provided $1,247,789 for federal taxes, against only $89,300 in the preceding year, illustrating the extent of the mounting tax burden on business in general.

In his report to stockholders Brohr Dahlberg, president, disclosed that the year's sales reached a peak of $19,977,155, against $13,817,501 the year before, and said much of the volume went toward the construction of army, navy, and air force buildings and depots, and for housing defense workers.

Dahlberg told the stockholders the company had completed arrangements for the purchase of an operating rock wool plant in the middle west—an acquisition made necessary because Celotex had been unable to secure an adequate supply of this insulation material from other manufacturers.

One of the large manufacturers of pumps, spraying equipment, water systems, and other products for the agricultural market—F. E. Myers & Brother company—reported that its orders in the last several months have exceeded production capacity.

John C. Myers, president, told stockholders that the company had a profit of $1,090,069 for the fiscal year ended Oct. 31. This was equal to $5.45 a share. In the preceding year net income was $971,127, or $4.85 a share.

Smaller profit for the year ended Oct. 31 than in the preceding year was reported by Servel, Inc., refrigerator and air conditioning equipment manufacturer with plants at Evansville, Ind. Its earnings were $2,737,603, equal to $1.53 a share, against $2,969,976, or $1.67 a share. A similar downturn in profit for the quarter ended Oct. 31 was shown.

CORPORATION EARNINGS

	1941.	1940.
Six Months Ended Nov. 30.		
Gamewell company.$	418,754 $	244,227
Per share	3.14	1.66
Nine Months Ended Nov. 29.		
†Collins & Aikman..	1,463,707	2,278,208
Per share	2.33	3.77
Year Ended Oct. 31.		
Celotex corporation.	1,749,098	747,627
Per share	2.51	.94
F E Myers & Bro...	1,090,069	971,127
Per share	5.45	4.85
Nat P & L	7,860,839	9,116,471
Per share	1.13	1.36
Servel, Inc	2,737,603	2,969,976
Per share	1.53	1.67
Quarter Ended Oct. 31.		
Servel, Inc	389,545	684,421
Per share	.22	.38
Year Ended Sept. 30.		
Hayes Mfg	94,737	*409,915
Per share	.11	

*Net loss. †Excluding Canadian subsidiary.

BUTTER PRICES RISE ON FEDERAL BUYING REPORTS

Further reports that the government may become active in the butter market caused futures prices to rise yesterday on the Chicago Mercantile exchange. Profit taking reduced early gains, but prices closed .10 to .15 cent a pound higher with butter selling for January delivery at 32.9 cents a pound.

The Federal Surplus Commodities corporation asked for bids on unannounced quantities of butter for delivery in San Francisco Saturday. The trade interpreted this as meaning it would be shipped to Hawaii to relieve food shortages. It also gave rise to rumors that the agency would buy butter from reserve stocks in order to maintain prices above 85 per cent of parity.

Liquidating sales pushed prices on December egg futures contracts down sharply but the market recovered partly to close ¼ cent lower. January contracts closed at 31¼ cents a dozen, off almost ½ cent from the preceding day.

CHICAGO STOCKS

Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1941.

Shares sold today.....56,000 Total sales 1941 to date.....6,493,000
Year ago.....28,000 Total sales 1940 to date.....6,667,000

—1941— High	Low	Description.	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.	—Closing— Bid.	Asked.
14⅛	10	Allied Lab [.60]	50	10	10	10	10	— ⅛	10⅛	
35⅝	24½	Allis-Ch Mfg [1.50g]	50	27	27	27	27	+ ⅛	26⅝	27¼
6¾	3¾	Am Rad St S [.60]	400	3⅞	4	3⅞	4	+ ⅛	3⅞	4
167⅞	122⅝	Am Tel & Tel [9]	50	122⅝	122⅝	122⅝	122⅝	— 2⅝	121	122
29¼	23⅞	Anaconda [2.50]	250	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	26⅛	+ ⅛	26⅛	26⅝
4¼	2⅞	Armour & Co	400	3	3	3	3	....	3	3⅛
11⅞	7	Am Equip [.60g]	100	7	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛	7	8
2⅝	⅝	Asbestos Mfg	350	1	1	1	1	+ ⅛	1	1⅛
35⅝	21¼	Assoc Invest [2a]	400	21	21¼	21¼	21¼	— ⅛	21¼	22
29⅝	23¼	Atch T & S F [2g].	50	26	26	26	26	+ ⅛	26	26¼
¾	¼	Autom Wash	120	¼	¼	¼	¼	— ⅛	¼	⅛
5¾	2⅝	Aviation Corp [.15z]	200	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛	3⅜	3⅝
12⅝	10	Belden Mfg [1.50g]	150	11¼	11¼	11¼	11¼	....	11	11½
6	2½	Belmont Radio [.60]	200	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	....	2⅞	3
41	32½	Bendix Av [4g]	150	38	38	37⅞	37⅞	— ⅛	37⅞	38⅛
75⅛	57	Beth Steel [6g]	50	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞	59⅞	+ ⅛	59⅝	59⅞
3½	2⅛	Binks Mfg [.60g]	100	2½	2½	2½	2½	....	2⅜	2⅞
18⅝	13⅜	Bliss & Laugh [2g]	50	14½	14½	14½	14⅜	+ ⅛	14⅛	14½
26⅝	16	Borg-Warner [2g]	450	19⅜	19⅜	19¼	19⅜	— ⅛	19⅛	19⅝
2⅝	1	Brown F & W	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	1⅛	1⅜
11⅞	7	Do A pf [2.50g]	200	7⅞	7⅞	7	7	— ⅛	7⅛	7½
14⅝	9½	Bruce E L [1]	300	10	10	10	10	....	10	10½
6⅜	4¼	Butler Bros [.60]	350	4⅝	4⅞	4⅝	4⅝	— ⅛	4½	4⅞
22	18	Do pf [1.50]	150	18½	18½	18½	18½	....	18⅛	18⅝
98½	60¼	Can Ill Pub Svc [6k]	50	60	61	60¼	61	— 1	60	62
5/16	1/16	Cen Ill Sec	200	1/16	1/16	1/16	1/16	—1/16	1/16	⅛
7	5⅜	Do pf [.50k]	450	5⅝	5⅞	5⅝	5⅜	— ⅛	5⅝	5⅞
⅛	1/16	Cen & S W Ut	1,400	3/16	¼	3/16	¼	+1/16	¼	5/16
47	28	Do $7 pf	20	28	28	28	28	— 2	27½	33
21	15¼	Chain Belt [1.75g].	50	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜	+ ⅜	17⅛	17¼
1	⅛	Chicago Corp	5,050	⅛	11/16	⅛	⅛	....	⅛	11/16
31¾	27⅞	Do pf [2k]	250	28	28	28	28	— ⅜	28	28⅛
73	47	Chi Flex Shaft [6]	50	47	47	47	47	— 3	44	48
10⅝	8¾	Chi Yell Cab [1]	300	8½	8½	8½	8½	+ ⅛	8⅝	8⅞
70⅝	41⅜	Chrysler Corp [6g]	800	41⅜	42	41⅜	41⅞	— ⅛	42	42⅛
6⅝	2⅜	Cities Serv	250	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	....	2⅜	2⅝
2⅝	⅝	Club Alum	500	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	— ⅛	⅝	1
20	20	Comwlth Edis [1.80]	2,850	20⅛	20⅜	20⅛	20⅜	+ ⅛	20¼	20½
2⅝	⅛	Con Biscuit [1.10g]	100	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	— ⅛	⅝	1
6⅞	5¼	Cons Oil [.50]	800	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼	— ⅛	5	5¼
1⅜	⅝	Consumers Co B	30	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	....	⅝	1
6⅛	4¾	Do pf	70	4½	4½	4½	4½	— ⅛	4⅜	4½
13⅝	11⅜	Crane Co [1g]	150	11⅜	11⅛	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛	11⅜	12¼
13⅜	10¼	Cudahy Pack	100	12¼	12¼	12¼	12¼	— ⅛	12⅛	12⅝
19	13	Cunning D Stra [1a]	100	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼	— ⅛	14⅝	16
2⅛	1⅛	Curtis Lt	100	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	....	2⅛	2⅜
10⅛	7¼	Curtiss-Wright [1g]	50	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛	— ⅛	8⅛	8¾
28½	19½	Deere & Co [2g]	100	21	21	21	21	— ⅝	20⅝	20⅞
4½	3	El Household [.50g]	650	3½	3½	3	3½	....	3	3¼
39¼	30⅛	†Gen Ar Trans [3g].	25	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	....	39¼	40½
33⅝	25⅛	†Gen Bak [1.40g]	700	25⅞	26	25⅝	25⅞	+ ⅛	25⅛	25⅝
2⅜	1½	Gen Finance [.20]	100	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	....	1⅝	1⅞
42⅜	33⅛	†Gen Foods [2]	45	37⅜	37⅜	37⅜	37⅝	....	37⅛	38⅛
48½	28⅝	Gen Motors [3.75c].	2,250	30	30	29½	29⅞	....	29½	29⅝
4¾	2⅛	Gillette Saf R [.45z]	50	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	— ⅛	2⅞	3⅛
8	6½	Goldblatt	450	6⅝	6⅝	6⅛	6⅛	....	6⅛	7⅛
20⅜	11	Gossard H W [1.37½]	55	11⅜	11¼	11¼	11¼	....	10⅜	11¼
9⅞	7	Goward H W [1.25]	100	7¾	7¾	7⅝	7⅝	— ⅛	7⅛	8
17⅜	10	Gt Lakes Dredge [1]	400	10	10¼	10	10¼	+ ⅛	10⅛	10⅝
16⅜	8⅝	Hall Print [1]	50	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼	+ ⅛	9	9⅝
14½	12½	Horders [1a]	30	13	13	13	13	....	12¼	13
13⅜	7⅝	Houd-Her B [1.50g]	100	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	....	7⅝	8
⅜	⅛	Hupp Mot	10	3/16	3/16	3/16	3/16	....	⅛	⅜
1⅜	⅝	Hyd Brick	400	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	1⅛	1¼
10⅜	4⅜	Ill Cent R R	100	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼	— ⅛	5⅛	5⅝
29¼	21	Indep Pneu Tool [3z]	50	22	22½	22½	22½	— 1½	21½	22½
21⅜	14	Indpls P & Lt [1.60]	150	14½	14¼	14	14	— ⅜	14	14⅜
90⅛	63½	Inland Steel [4a]	105	65⅛	66⅜	65⅞	66⅜	....	66¼	68
8⅝	6⅝	Interlake Iron [.75g]	50	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	— ⅛	6⅝	7
58⅛	36⅛	Int Harvester [2a].	50	45¼	45½	44⅞	44⅞	....	44⅜	45¼
13⅜	5¾	Jarvis W B [1.125z]	200	5⅝	6	5⅝	6	....	5⅝	6¼
5⅛	3	Ken-R T & L [.375g]	600	3⅜	3⅝	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛	3⅜	3⅝
50½	38½	Ky Ut J cum pf [3.50]	10	39	39	39	39	½	39	40
100½	88½	Do 6% pf [6]	10	92	92	92	92	+ 3½	92	94
7	3⅝	Lib-McN & L [.35g].	250	4½	4½	4½	4½	....	4⅜	4½
2⅛	⅝	Lincoln Print	200	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	....	⅝	9/16
21⅝	8½	Do pf [3.125k]	20	8½	8½	8½	8½	— ⅛	8½	9
13	10½	Lindsay Lt pf [.70]	20	11	11	11	11	— 2	10	13½
13⅜	9⅛	Lion Oil Ref [1]	50	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	+ ⅜	10⅛	11
17⅜	11	†Marsh Field [1.30g]	80	12	12	11⅞	11⅞	....	11	12½
32	20⅝	Martin G L [3g]	100	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜	+ ⅛	22	22¾
19	9	McCord Rad A	70	12	12	11	12	+ 1⅛	12	13
4¾	2⅜	Merch & Mf A [.40a]	300	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	....	2½	2⅝
6¾	3¼	Mid West [.40g]	2,050	3½	3⅝	3½	3⅝	....	3⅜	3⅝
7	2½	Midland Unit pf	300	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛	3⅜	3½
17⅜	3	Midl Util 7% pf	50	9	9	9	9	+ ⅛	8¾	9⅛
1⅞	¼	Monroe Chem	500	½	½	½	½	— ⅛	½	1⅛
39½	24⅛	Montg Ward [2e]	300	25¾	25⅞	25¼	25½	+ ⅛	25⅛	25⅝
8¾	3	Nash-Kely [.375g]	550	3	3	3	3	....	2⅞	3⅛
37	35	Nat Battery pf [2.20]	10	35	35	35	35	....	....	....
11	8	Nat Cyl Gas [.80]	250	8½	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛	8¼	8⅝
14	7⅛	N Y Central R R	200	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛	7⅛	7⅜
32⅜	19⅜	Noblitt-Spka [3.50g].	350	20⅜	20⅝	20¼	20¾	— ⅜	20	20½
8	3⅜	Nor Am Car	50	4⅛	4¼	4⅛	4¼	....	4⅛	4⅝
14	7⅜	Nor west Airl	150	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼	....	10¼	10½
14	10	Nor west Banc [.45g]	100	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛	10¼	10½
18	6	No West Ut 7% pf	160	7⅛	7⅜	7⅛	7⅜	+ ⅛	7⅛	10½
6	2	Omnibus Corp	100	2¾	2¾	2¼	2¼	....	2¼	2⅝
13½	4¾	Ontario Mfg [.15g]	20	5	5	5	5	+ ⅛	4⅝	5
16	12⅜	Param Pictures[.90g]	1,000	13⅞	13⅞	13⅝	13⅝	+ ⅛	13⅜	13⅝
25⅛	18	Penn R R [2e]	100	18	18⅛	18	18⅛	....	17⅜	18⅛
27	18	Perfect Circle [1.90g]	30	18	18	18	18	....	16⅛	18
1	⅝	Potter Co	200	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	....	⅝	⅞
13	5⅜	†Pressed Stl Car	50	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	....	6⅜	6½
28⅜	20	Pullman [1a]	100	22½	22½	22½	22½	+ ⅛	22	22½
11⅞	10¼	†Pure Oil [.50e]	50	10⅞	10⅞	10⅝	10⅝	....	10⅝	11
105	51⅛	Quaker Oats [4]	1,800	52½	54	52	54	+ 1¾	54	54¼
4⅜	2½	Radio Co of A [.20g]	150	2½	2¼	2¼	2⅜	....	2¼	2⅝
57⅜	41½	Rath Pack [1.50a]	100	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	49⅝	+ ⅛	50	55
20⅜	14⅜	Repub Steel [2g]	700	16⅜	16½	16⅜	16½	+ ⅛	16⅛	16⅜
22⅜	13½	Sangamo El [1.85g]	200	13½	13⅝	13½	13½	— ⅛	13	14½
6⅜	4	Schwitzer Cum [.50g]	250	6¼	6¼	6	6	....	6	6⅜
77⅛	50⅛	Sears Roeb [3a]	350	51	51⅝	50⅜	51¼	+ ⅛	50½	51
6⅛	1⅜	Serrick Corp B [.25g]	50	4	4	4	4	— ⅛	4	4½
3⅞	2⅜	Std Brands [.40a]	200	4	4	4	4	....	3⅞	4
2⅞	1⅜	Std Dredg [.20g]	100	1½	1½	1½	1½	....	1½	1⅞
1	⅛	Std Gas & Elec	100	⅛	⅛	⅛	⅛	....	⅛	¼
34½	25⅜	Std Oil Ind [1a]	200	30¾	30¾	30	30	— ⅝	29⅞	30⅛
46⅝	39⅜	†Std Oil N J [1a]	110	41⅛	41⅝	41	41⅛	....	41⅛	41⅜
1⅝	⅝	Sterling Brew [.175g]	300	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	— ⅛	⅝	2
8¾	4⅜	Stewart-Warn [.50g]	300	4⅜	4¾	4⅜	4⅝	— ⅛	4½	4⅝
6⅜	3⅜	Studebaker Corp	550	3⅝	3¾	3⅜	3⅜	— ⅛	3⅜	3¾
19	16½	Sundstrd M T [3.50a]	100	18⅜	18⅜	18⅛	18⅜	— ⅛	18	19
25	23⅛	Swift & Co [1.20a].	300	23½	23⅝	23⅜	23⅝	— ⅛	23⅛	23⅜
24⅜	16⅝	Swift Int [2]	300	18¾	18¾	16	18¼	+ ⅛	18	18⅜
46	34⅜	Texas Co [2a]	150	42	42	42	41⅜	— 1¼	41½	42
12	7⅜	Trane Co [1]	150	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	7⅜	+ ⅛	7⅜	7⅞
79⅛	61⅜	Union Carbide [3g].	100	68¾	68¾	68¾	68¾	....	68⅛	68⅝
17	9½	Unit Air Lines	200	9⅝	9¾	9½	9½	— ⅛	9½	9⅝
69⅜	37⅜	†U S Gypsum [2a]	230	37⅞	38⅜	37⅜	38⅛	....	38⅛	40
28⅝	15⅞	†U S Rubber [2g]	120	15⅝	16⅛	15⅝	15⅞	....	15⅛	16⅜
70⅜	47⅜	U S Steel [4z]	800	50¼	50½	50¼	50¼	— ⅜	50⅜	50⅝
130	108⅝	†Do pf [7]	22	113⅜	113⅜	113⅜	113⅜	....	113	114½
1⅜	1	Utah Radio	450	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....	1⅛	1¼
22⅜	15⅞	Walgreen [1.60]	50	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛	18	18⅛
18⅜	10⅝	Warne Pump [2z]	100	11⅛	11⅛	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅜	10⅝	11⅜
31⅛	18⅜	†West Un Tel [2g]	60	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜	....	24	24⅜
96⅜	71	Westingh El & M [5z]	50	75⅜	75⅜	75⅛	75¼	+ ⅛	74⅝	75¼
6⅜	5⅜	Wieboldt Strs [1g]	50	6⅜	6⅜	6⅛	6⅜	— ⅛	5⅝	5⅞
93	90	Do pr pf [5]	50	91	91	91	91	....	90¾	95
6¼	4¼	Wisc Bankshrs [.25g]	500	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	+ ⅛	4⅜	4½
79⅝	56⅝	†Wrigley W Jr [3a]	40	51⅞	53¼	51⅞	53¼	....	52	54
15⅜	10⅝	Yellow Tr & C [1a]	50	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	— ⅛	11¼	11⅝
11⅝	8	Zenith Rad [1g]	200	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	— ⅛	8½	8¾

*Ex dividend. †Odd lots. xr—Ex rights. a—Also extra or extras. d—Accumulated dividends paid last year. e—Declared or paid so far this year. f—Payable in stock. s—Paid last year. b—Cash or stock. k—Accumulated dividend paid or declared this year.

NEW YORK CURB TRANSACTIONS

Tuesday, Dec. 23, 1941.

Shares sold today.....313,000 Total sales 1941 to date.....32,141,000
Year ago.....190,515 Total sales 1940 to date.....41,360,140

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
Acme Wire....	40	18½	18½	18½	— 1
Ainsworth	100	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	+ ⅛
Air Inv war..	100	1/32	1/32	1/32	....
Ala Pow $7 pf	10	100½	100½	100½	— 1½
Alliance Inv..	200	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....
Alum Co Am.	350	65¾	64½	65¼	+ ⅛
Do pf [4.50]	350	112¼	112	112¼	+ ½
Alum Goods..	100	12¾	12¾	12¾	— ⅛
Alum Ind....	100	5	5	5	+ ⅛
Alum Ltd....	300	68⅝	68⅝	68⅝	— 1⅜
Am Box Board	400	3⅜	3⅛	3⅜	— ⅛
Am C P&L A	250	12	12	12	....
Do A new..	350	11¼	11	11	....
Do B.....	1,500	5/32	⅛	5/32	....
Am Cyan B...	2,700	38¼	37	37⅝	+ ⅜
Am&FgnP war	400	3/64	1/32	3/64	+1/64
Am Exp L....	300	21	19⅝	21	— ⅛
Am Fork&Hoe	300	10⅜	10¼	10⅜	— ⅛
Am Gas&El...	6,200	20⅜	19⅞	20⅜	+ ⅜
Do pf.....	50	102¾	102¾	102¾	....
Am Gen.....	1,300	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	....
Do pf.....	100	25¾	25½	25½	....
Am Light & T	1,700	10¼	10	10⅛	— ⅛
Am Mfg.....	50	20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ⅛
Am Maracaibo	1,600	3/16	5/32	5/32	—1/32
Am Republics	2,700	6⅜	6¼	6¼	— ⅛
Am Superpow	7,800	1/32	1/64	1/64	—1/64
Do pf.....	800	2	1⅞	2	+ ⅛
Am Writ Pap.	200	2⅛	2⅛	2⅛	....
Anch Post F.	500	2⅜	2⅛	2⅜	+ ⅛
Ang-Wupp	400	15/16	⅞	⅞	....
Apex Elec Mfg	200	7	7	7	....
Do pf.....	30	104	104	104	+ ⅜
Ark Nat Gas.	500	13/16	13/16	13/16	....
Do A.....	6,400	⅞	⅞	⅞	+1/16
Asso El Ind..	300	2	2	2	....
Asso G & El..	200	1/32	1/32	1/32	....
Do A.....	2,900	1/64	1/64	1/64	....
Do pf.....	300	½	½	½	....
Atl Cst Fish..	3,600	3⅜	3	3⅜	+ ⅛
Atl Rayon	100	3⅛	3	3	— ⅛
Atlas C war..	1,400	¼	¼	¼	....
Atlas Ply	100	12¼	12¼	12¼	....
Automat Prod.	500	2¼	1⅞	1⅞	— ⅛
Avery&Sons ..	100	2¼	2¼	2¼	....
Do pf ww..	50	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	— 1⅛
Axton-Fish A.	100	22	22	22	....
Ayrshire P C.	200	5	5	5	— ⅛
Babcock&Wil	500	27¼	26¾	27	+ ⅜
Baldwin L war	1,100	3⅜	3⅜	3½	+ ⅛
Barium Stk Stl	900	9/16	½	½	....
Barlo&Steel A.	50	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Baumit M cv pf	100	20	20	20	....
Beech Aire	300	8¼	8¼	8½	....
Bell Aire	400	14	13⅜	14	— ⅜
Bellanca Aire.	200	2¼	2¼	2⅜	— ⅛
Berk&Gay war.	400	5/16	5/16	5/16	....
*Bickford pf..	25	38½	38½	38½	+ ⅛
Bliss E W	3,000	14⅜	14¼	14⅜	+ ⅛
Blue Ridge	1,000	5/16	¼	⅜	....
Do cv pf....	350	32¼	32	32½	+ ⅛
Blumenthal S.	200	4¼	4¼	4¼	— ⅛
Bohack H C..	500	1¼	1¼	1⅜	— ⅛
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Brewst Aero..	700	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
Bridgpt Mach.	200	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	....
Brill A.....	20	47	46	47	+ 2
Brill A.....	400	2½	2½	2½	....
Do B.....	200	3/16	3/16	3/16	....
Brit Celan	100	3/16	3/16	3/16	....
Brown F&W	700	1¼	1⅛	1¼	....
Brown-F Distl.	100	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	....
Brown Rubber	100	5/16	5/16	5/16	....
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Do 5 pf.....	250	86	85½	85⅝	— ⅜
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Burry Biscuit.	300	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
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Do cv pf n..	25	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
Cessna Aire....	100	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	— ⅛
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Chesebrough..	300	77¼	75	75	— 5
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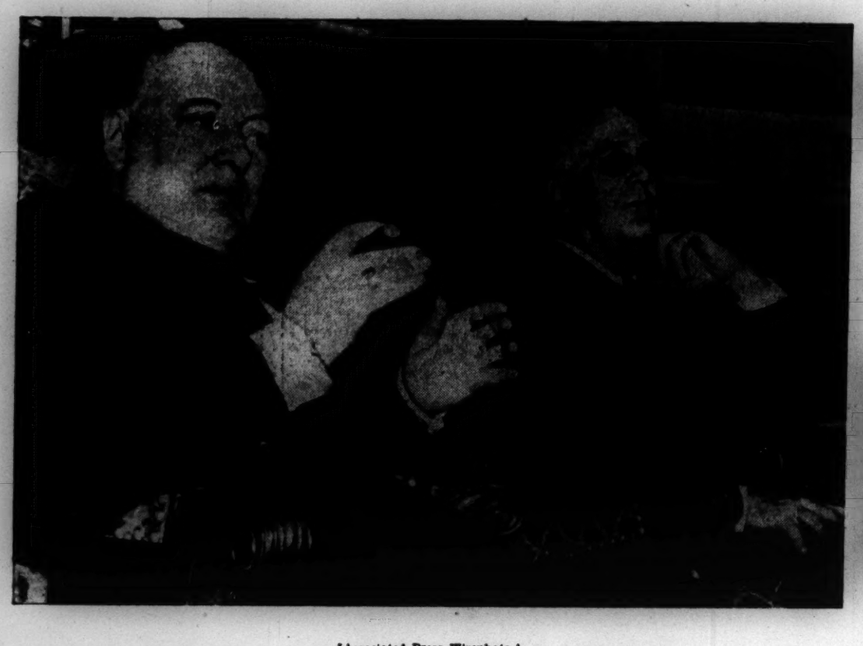

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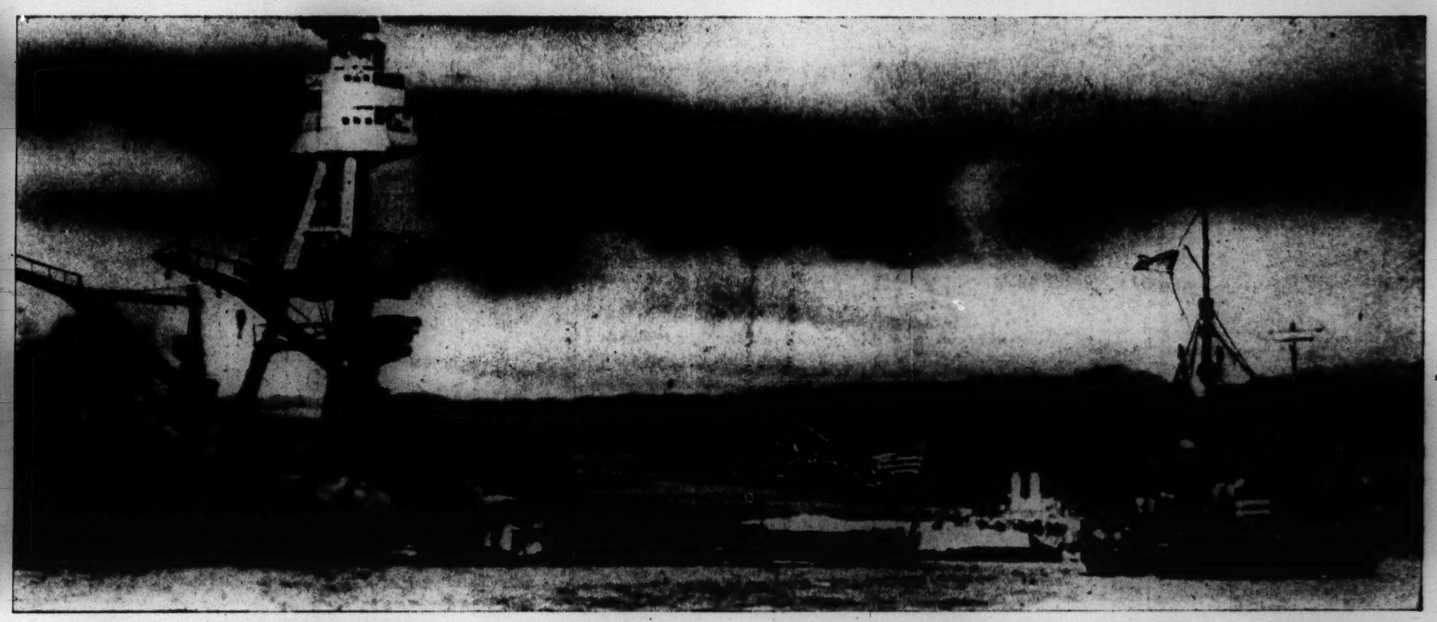
Winston Churchill (left), British prime minister, and President Roosevelt at press conference where they were questioned on their formation of a council of war. *(Story on page 1.)*



The U. S. S. Arizona, battleship which was destroyed in the Japanese surprise attack on Pearl Harbor, Hawaii, on Dec. 7, rests on the bottom with her decks awash, but her flags are still flying. It was the first photograph of the sunken Arizona to be released by the Navy department.

[Associated Press Wirephoto.]

(Story on page 5.)

An RAF plane whose wheel is visible at upper right has just made a low level bombing attack on Sirte, Tripolitania, according to information approved by the British censor.

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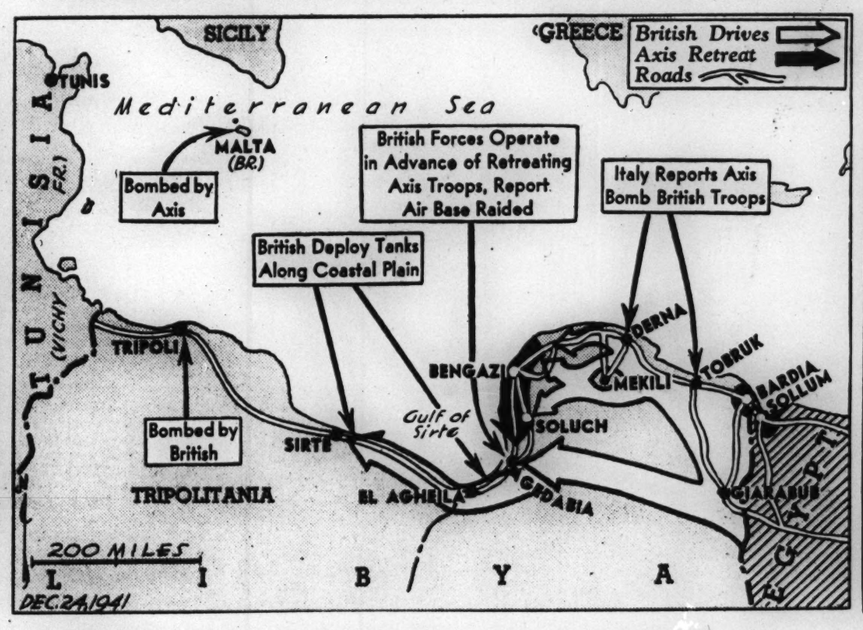

Developments reported from Libya yesterday are told in captions. The British were reported steadily pushing the axis force back in all areas. *(Story on page 9.)*

Captions tell of developments yesterday in British defense of Hongkong against Japanese invaders.

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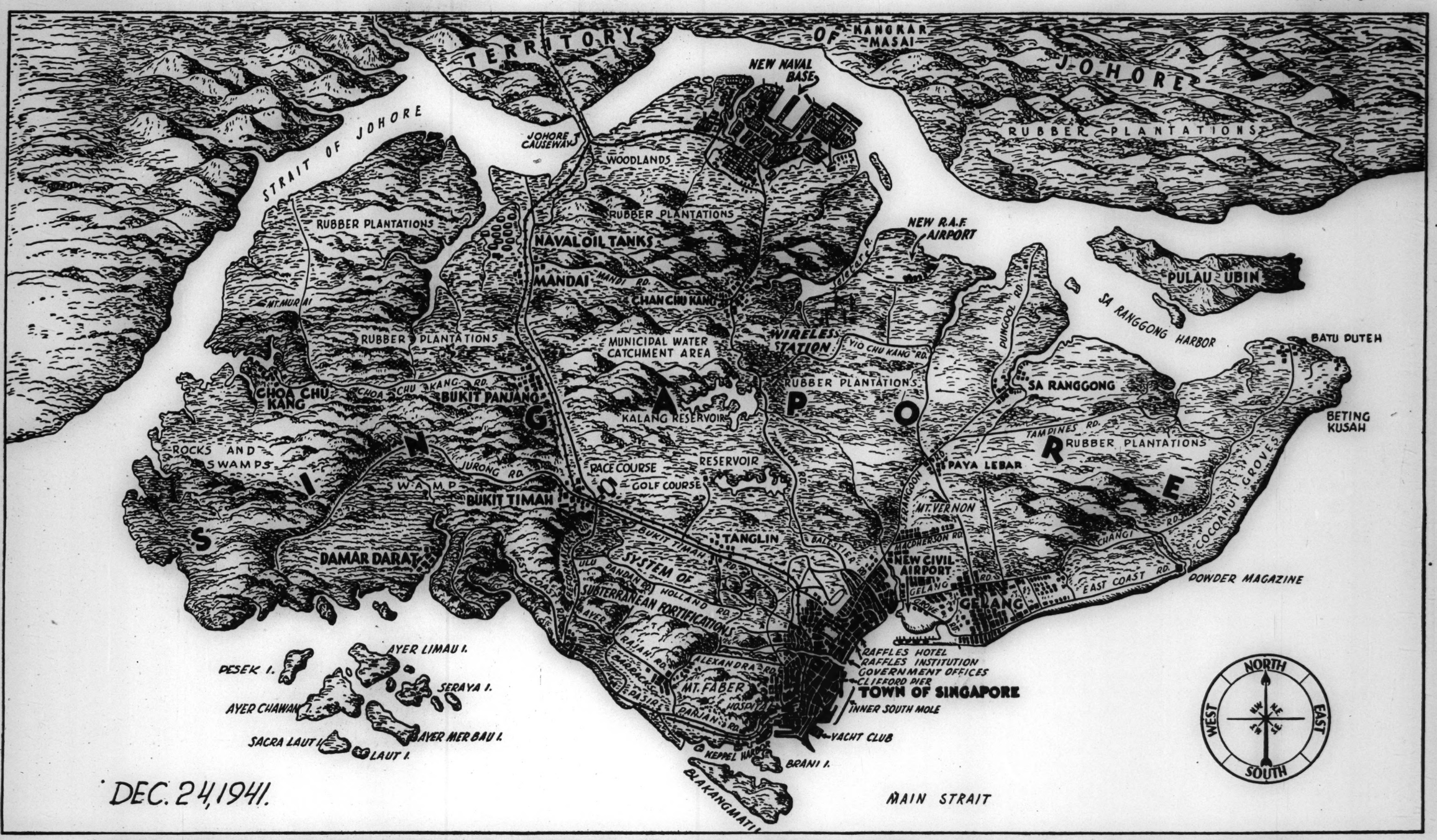

LOOKING NORTH OVER SINGAPORE, THE STRATEGIC BRITISH BASE WHICH SOME AUTHORITIES CONSIDER TO BE THE KEY TO THE FATE OF THE WORLD.

(Story on page 6.)